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By Diana Geddes and Frances Gibb

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by cuts

Atkins outlines proposal

for Ulster council

# Callaghan sees independence as only answer

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor

Mr James Callaghan, the former Labour Prime Minister, yesterday advocated "a broadly independent state " of North ern Ireland, to emerge after a process of policymaking which, he said, "would take some years to complete".

Mr Callaghan also abandoned the guarantee, repeatedly under-written by all British govern-ments since 1949, including his own, that the constitutional status of Northern Ireland could be changed only with the consent of the majority of its

Instead, he said that the guarantee would be transferred in the fullness of time, from the territory of Northern Ireland to the people, so that every citizen of the new state who wisbed to remain a British citizen would be able to do so. Mr Callaghan, at the outset of his speech, forecast "outcry and outrage" against his proposals. In the Chamber, although he was heard politely by most, and with rapt attention by ministers, he appeared to persuade isters, he appeared to persuade

An hour earlier MPs had given a more positive but notably cautious reception to Mr Humphrey Atkins, Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, as ha developed the Government's own tentative proposals to set up an advisory council for Northern Ireland at Stormont Castle, Belfast.

It would consist, he said, of about 50 politicisms who already held elected positions in the province as MPs, members of the European Parliament or as district councillors. They would be nominated by those Northern Ireland parties who had been shown to have a substantial following he said.

Mr Atkins said that the coun-ciliors would have no legislative or executive role, but he would ask their advice on the pro-vince's internal government; ask them to scrutinize legisla-tion; and invite them to con-sider the future pattern of

Mr Atkins put forward his plan with nearly as much dif-fidence as Mr Callaghan. He said that the system of direct rule which Parliament last night voted to extend for 12 more months had worked well for seven years. A great many people in Northern Ireland approved of it. But it contained one important flaw: there was not enough of a Northern Ireland political input into the governing of the province.

#### Political parties to discuss proposal

It was not yet possible to confer executive or legislative powers upon a representative body in Northern Ireland, which would have to be acceptable to both parts of the community. The basis for that acceptability did not yet exist, and there would be a delay of possibly 18 months or more if one were to be elected. He wished to move

be elected. He wished to move more rapidly.

He intended to discuss the proposed council with the Northern Ireland parties before framing his scheme in detail, and then present it to Parliament. Mr Atkins had barely reached the meat of his speech when Mr James Kilfedder, Uster Unionist MP for Down North, interrupted to say he was making a very foolish move by not holding elections. The Government, Mr Kilfedder said, was just tinkering with the situation.

Mr Atkins was not put off.

Mr Atkins was not put off. "I believe we are proposing a sensible, reasoned way forward", he said. "We are offering an opportunity. It is now for others to respond."

of Eva Braun, Hirler's mistress and wife for one night. Accord-

Professor Raidar F. Sognnaes.

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Mr Gallaghan's plan for an independent Northern Ireland surprised his party. In recent days he has consulted a number of senior Labour Party figures, including Mr Michael Foot, the leader, who told his predecessor firmly that he could not agree with it, and would prefer the speech not to be made.

speech not to be made.

Mr Foot told Mr Gallaghan that, in his view, the guarantes to Northern Ireland should neither be withdrawn nor weakened if Protestant opinion were not to be alarmed. Nor could he believe that the idea of independence would have any attraction for either the majority or the minority in the North.

But nobody doubted that Mr Callaghan was speaking from the deepest conviction. He reminded MPs that it was he who as Home Secretary 12 years ago gave the signal for troops to be deployed on the streets in Belfast.

Since then many well-prepared proposals, he told Mr Atkins, had been put forward by well-intentioned ministers. All had failed. They had ended in the wastepaper basket.

#### Paternalistic attitude of Westminster

Mr Callaghan said he took his share of blame for mistakes. He shought that the paternalistic artitude of Westminster had un-dermined the sense of respon-sibility of Northern Ireland's people for their own destiny.

Mr Callaghan had kind words for the Government's new ad-visory council. And in what appeared to be an inconsistency in his own argument, said there should be fresh talks at West-minster and that if the Government asked other parties to join in, he hoped that the Labour Party would do so.

ernment would then state to Northern Ireland convention that it was not Westminster's intention to produce further proposals, plans or solutions to be dismissed. The people of Northern Ireland would have to produce their own plan.

Mr Callaghan added that Britain would keep an obligation to support the economy of an independent Northern Ireland. There should be a Bill of Rights to safeguard its citizens. "As

an independent country, Northern Ireland would be able

rormern ireland would be able to make its own decision about joining international organiz-ations such as the United Nations, the European Com-munity, the Commonwealth and perhaps Nato." But by now, the former Prime Minister had lost what-ever support he had had at the start of his speech. There were a very few "hear-hears"

However, he was told by Mr Michael Alison, Minister of State at the Northern Ireland Office, that the Government would think seriously and with an open mind about what he bad said.

But Mr Alison could say no less to a former Prime Minister. The Government's settled view is that there can be no progress made whatever by way of the proposal for a separate Northern Ireland. ☐ Mr Atkins's proposal was given a mixed reception by





Two poses of Lady Diana at the centre court. With her is ex-king Constantine, of Greece.

# McEnroe and Borg do it again

By Our Sports Staff

John McEnrpe was at the Wimbledon yesterday when he beat Rod Frawley, the un-seeded Australian, in straight sets to reach the men's singles

McEnroe started badly and there were some tetchy incidents over line calls before he received his first warning he received his first warning from the umpire, Wing Commander George Grime, in the tenth game of the first set. McEnroe asked sarcastically of the umpire's chair: "Can you make another bad call for me?" When he returned to the baseline, McEnroe shouted: "I get screwed by the umpires in this place" and Wing Commander Grime warned him for unsportsmanlike behaviour.

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"You're a disgrace to mankind", which the umpire interpreted as being addressed to him. McEnroe claimed that he was talking to himself. Fred Hoyles, the referee, was

summoned at McEnroe's request but the umpire's ruling was upheld. This penalty point gave Frawley the game for a 5-4 lead. Apart from these unhappy scenes it was a long, dull match which the 22-year-old McEnroe won 7-6, 6-4, 7-5 in a minute over three bours. McEnroe was seldom at his best and was

not allowed to take things easy by Frawley, who has been on the professional tennis circuit since 1976. Later, there were extraordin-

ary scenes at a press conference. McEnroe objected to the tone and trend of some of the questions and replied in blunt to call a section of the crowd tone and trend of some of the who were heckling him "vultures" and in the end he was terms about some of the pubpenalized a point for saying licity he has received. Journa-

It appears that the Adminis-tration has, through the delay in completing the review on arms law violation, got itself

Had the review on the four suspended F16s taken place

reasonably quickly there would have been no problem. It could, as expected, have agreed that they could be shipped and the six would follow normally.

The delay, however, has inextricably linked the two, and the Administration found that

by repeating yesterday what had been said in the past, it was effectively saying it was planning to send six aircraft not covered by a suspension, but was waiting for a review on four that were.

This resulted today in furious official back-pedalling and state-

ments that appeared to toughen the stance on Israel, when, in reality, that is the opposite of the Administration's intention.

☐ Jerusalem Complex negoti-

ations about the formation of the next Israeli Government continued today amid growing confidence that Mr Menachem Begin, the Prime Minister, will

have succeeded in forming a viable coalition by the time he is summoned for consultations with the President next week.

lists became involved in a dispute among themselves; McEnroe left the scene saying that he would never talk to the press again; then at least one punch was thrown.

The name of McEnroe's opponent in tomorrow's final was long delayed as Bjorn Borg, the holder and first seed, became involved in a desperate and enthralling five-set struggle with Jimmy Connors, the third seed Connors won the first set to love and took a two-set lead before Borg fought back to square the match.

Borg broke, service, in the seventh game of the final setin his two previous service games Connors had stood at 0-40 but had survived. Borg held his next two service games to win the match 0—6, 4—6, 6—3, 6—0, 6—4 in three hours and 18 minutes.

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# Washington in muddle over F16s for Israel

into confusion.

four that were.

From Nicholas Hirst, Washington, July 2-The Reegan Administration required on future shipments of found itself in a muddle today F15s."

over whether it plans to go ahead with the sale of six F16 lighter-hombers to Israel on

Yesterday White House and State Department officials had said that the United States proposed to go ahead with the sale this month although the sale of four F163 due on June 12 had been suspended after the bomb-ing of the Iraqi nuclear reactor. Successive briefings by Administration officials empha-sized that the suspension referred only to that one delivery in June—part of a package of 75 of which Israel has now received 53—and not to any

other deliveries. But today spokesmen for both the White House and the State Department appeared to say that all future deliveries of F16s were subject to the outor Flos were subject to the out-come of a review on whether Israel had violated American law, which permits arms sales for defence only.

A White House statement said: "The suspension of sales to Israel announced on June 10 applied to the four P16s due for delivery on June 12. The review as to whether there was a violation of arms sales continues and no decision has been made. That Continued on back page, col 4 cluded before a decision is

Two die in Barcelona gas blast

From Harry Debelius Madrid, July 2

Two workers died and at least seven people were injured in a gas explosion in Barcelone's main gas works tonight. The explosion rocked the port area

explosion rocked the port area and brought down part of a hospital near by.

Firemen found the bodies of two workmen who had been missing, about two hours after the blast. They are believed to be the only people killed.

The explosion occurred as workmen were carrying out welding operations in the pump. welding operations in the pump-room of the installation. The blast badly damaged part of the 18-storey hospital. The 400 patients were evacuated to other

buspitals.
One of the members of the welding teams was thrown clear of the scene and suffered only moderate injuries. Two of his fellow-workers were buried under the rubble. Rescuers heard the voice of at least one of them as they dug through the rubble, but by the time they reached the two trapped men, both were dead.

merger.

Mr. Lawrence Sapper, general secretary of the AUT, was also dismayed that the heaviest cuts were falling on the technological universities.

Professor John West, vice-chancellor at Bradford, which is losing 19 per cent of its students and 33 per cent of its grant over three years, said he envisaged losing a quarter, or 100, of the teaching staff. At Hull, which faces a 17 per cent cut in students and 20 per cent cut in students and 20 per cent in grant, the estimate was 100 to 120 staff redundancies out of 500. Full details, page 4 Lending article, page 13

In order to maintain standards and not to allow the unit of re-source (average student costs)

to deteriorate too far, it has said that student numbers

should be cut over the next four

However, the grants committee wants technology and engineer-ing to be concentrated in

#### SDP victory

The Social Democrats won a council sear from Conservatives council sear from Conservatives in a by-election at Sedgefield, County Durham, yesterday. Their candidate, Mr David Shand, polled 658 votes, compared with the Conservatives 433 and Labour's 367. At Haringey, a Liberal standing with Social Democrat support polled 421 votes, compared with Labour's 829 and the Conservatives 502.

BL sells Alvis

BL is selling Alvis, its sub-

Rolls-Royce wins

Japanese order

for £27m

#### US to return Iran's assets

US to return Iran's assets (18pt. BL is selling Airs, its subsidiary that manufactures
Scorpion tanks, to United
Scientific Holdings for £27m.
The sale, part of the Government's denationalization programme, will more or less
double USH's size and is
expected to improve Alvis's
export opportunities Page 17 The Supreme Court cleared the way for the return to Iran of \$3,000m to \$4,000m of its frozen assets in return for the release of the American hostages. It ruled that President Carter had had the power to stop com-panies wit belaims against Iran from soing ni American courts

#### The doctor who fell asleep Mr Cecil Clothier, the Health

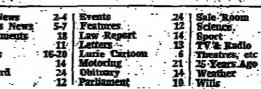
Service Commissioner, severely criticized in his amount report two incidents where children were stillborn, one because a doctor fell asleep, and another in which a mother in labour was "shamefully neglected" Page 3

second Test match against Australia at Lord's. Lawson took three of them, and Gatting scored 59 Page 9.

Busines Court

# Rolls-Royce has won a crucial contract from the Japanese Navy, which now makes it likely that all the main Japanese warships will be equipped with British-designed engines until the turn of the century Page 5 Poland tops the Comecon agenda

Prime ministers of the 10 countries comprising the Comecon economic group began their annual meeting in Solia, with Poland dominating the agenda, followed by the difficulties associated with closer integration Page 6



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# Cigarette price to rise by 3p

crease in the excise duty on cigarettes equivalent to 3p on a packet of 20. There will be comparable increases in other tobacco products.

tobacco products.

The move, which showed Sir Geoffrey's determination not to compromise on the overall arithmetic of his March Budget, is intended to recoup most of the revenue lost because of an earlier decision to cut by half the 20p a gallon Budget increase on diesel fuel.

Both petrol and derv were increased by 20p a gallon in March, but, in the face of a Tory backbench revolt against those measures, Sir Geoffrey agreed to reduce the increase on derv although he resisted all pressure to go back on the petrol increase.

The loss of revenue in the present financial year as a result of the lower dery duty will be about £25m.

The Chancellor's announcement in the Commons yesterday came in reply to a parliamentary question

The extra duty on cigarettes and tobacco will amount to £65m. Another £20m will be raised by increasing off-course betting duty from 7½ to 8 per cent and by putting up duty on bingo from 7½ to 10 per cent. In Whitehall the decision was explained as being intended to maintain the essential integrity of the Budget. Although it is too early in the financial year to draw any strong conclusions,

The grants committee letter to universities informing them of the size of their individual cuts in grant and students and giving advice as to where those curs should fall, said that the rate at which resources were being removed from the unito draw any strong conclusions, there is some satisfaction among versity system would necessarily lead to "disorder and dis-economy", whatever path of change is followed. officials that government expen diture and revenue are running close to the levels predicted in the Budget, after making allow-ance for industrial action by The committee estimates that universities will lose between 11 and 15 per cent of their income over the next three years. civil servants.
The increase in cigarette duty

was greeted with shock and dismay by the tobacco companies. It comes on top of a 14p increase on a packer of 20 announced at the time of the Budger and a rise of 4p in the manufacturers' price a little

years by 5 per cent over the targets set for 1979-80, or 7.5 per cent from present levels.

Among the hardest hit are four technological universities, manufacturers, price a little before that.

Together those increases initially led to a 15 per cent drop in sales, although demand has begun to rise again. The latest increase is expected to Salford, Aston, Bradford, and Surrey, whose shock was all the greater as they believed that their bias toward technology and science would protect them from the extreme cuts.

would not be raised for about two weeks.

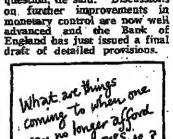
Betting shops and bingo half owners, greeted the rise in gambling duties with similar dismay. Coral, which owns 600 betting shops, said: "We are very disappointed that with the present dangerously high level of betting taxation, the Chancellor wishes to seek a further contribution from this source of receive.

of revenue.

"A higher tax will lead to an upsurge of illegal betting and evasion of duty."

The reduction of 10p on a gailon of dery was due to come into effect at 6 pm yesterday. The price will now fall from £1.50 to £1.40 a gallon:

The Chancellor also repeated yesterday that the Government might suspend the practice of publishing a minimum lending rate, and allow market forces to play a greater role in deterto play a greater role in deter-mining innerest rates. In answer to a parliamentary question, he said: "Discussions





"When these are put very short term interest rates within an unpublished band. It may then be appropriate to sus-

# Bank of England steps in to support sterling

By Frances Williams

ing to be concentrated in fewer centres.

It was pointed out that many of the worst-affected universities were in big cities where there were other large universities and some feered that the proposals to close departments was a prelude to closer collaboration and possible eventual The pound had another bad day on foreign exchange markets yesterday, undermined by high American interest rates, falling oil prices, and speculative selling. Design reported there was substantial speculations designated intervention by banks the Bank of England to bair sterling's slide. It sank 1.90 cents against the

dollar to end London trading at \$1.8840, after falling as low as \$1.8740 earlier in the day. This brings its total losses against the dollar this week alone to 64 cents.

The pound also weakened

against European currencies such as the Deutsche mark, which gained 41 pfennigs to DM4.541 to the pound from 4.591 on Wednesday. Sterling's effective exchange. effective exchange rate mea-sured against a basket of 17

The pound encountered heavy tion against sterling by banks and other operators The recent cut in the price

of North Sea oil and weakening world oil prices, combined with a large gap between United Kingdom and American interest rates, have undermined investors' confidence in the pound.

Sterling's fall of nearly 25 per cent against the dollar over the past eight months has brought relatively little relief to hard-pressed British exporters. Yesterday's exchange rate against the Deutsche mark, with Germany, Britain's largest leading currencies—dropped 1.0 single export market, is still 15 to 92.1 per cent of its average per cent higher than it was at 1975 level.



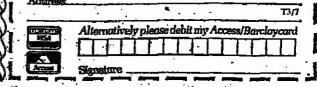
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still in a dental workshop when she died.

According to witnesses in the were discovered by a detachbridge and the dental assistant lery, Hitler and Eva Braun The British captured the eye-

Eva Braun may have escaped Hitler bunker who should have fitted it were tracked down by Professor Sognnaes. The Russians have

Thirty-six years after the Second World War fresh mysrery has risen over the fate told the professor the bridge has been destroyed.

The professor, acknowledged expert on the remains of Hiller and wife for one night Activity ing to an eminent American scientist the body the Russians identified as that of Fraulein Braun was probably someone forensic science conference in Norway. Professor Keith Simp-son, one of Britain's leading forensic experts, described him as a first class dental research recently retired from the School of Medicine and Dentistry at the University of

California in Los Angeles, helped to confirm Hitler's Professor Sognnaes would not corpse beyond question but he raises crucial doubts about the woman's body found near the Berlin bunker where Hitler committed suicide.

He questions the identity on the grounds that: "Very severe exposure to fire caused cranio-facial bone destruction and charring beyond recogni-tion ... but despite this a dental

hridge with white plastic teeth was supposed to have survived intact. This crucial piece of dental evidence the Russians used to identify the body was not found with the corpse but added later he says. A piece of bridging attributed to the corpse had been made for Eva Braun but never fitted. It was

and Martin Bormann, presented his findings to an international

go as far as suggesting Eva Braun is still alive but suggests there is an enigme about what happened following the last hours in Hitler's bunker. It is possible she still lies unidentified somewhere under East Berlin. In 1947, the Poles claimed she had been captured by the Americans in Austria and

was last seen disappearing towards Czechoslovakia.

This week Professor Sogonaes told The Times: "I don't want to make up a facciful scenario of her being smuggled out. I am not suggesting she is alive and well. It is possible another body was found and attributed body was found and attributed to her. Based on the forensic surface and burnt in the shallow evidence there is no basis to depression created near a shell claim they recovered her body". crater. A few days later they



Eva Braun : White teeth after the inferno.

killed themselves on April 30, 1945. Hirler shot and poisoned himself while Eva Braun took a potassium cyanide capsulethough no survivor actually witnessed her suicide.

witnesses from the banker. The reconstruction of the last days of the Third Reich which flowed from them became the basis of a report to the military com-manders of the city and eventu-ally led to Professor Hugh-Trevor-Roper's famous book on

about the corpses was held by the Americans and the Russians. In the case of Hitler and Eva Braun the Americans captured their dentist while the Russians had two bodies and two dental

For years the Russians were coy about what they had found. Stalin refused to reveal what they knew but in 1968 Mr Lev Bezymensky, a Russian journalist and former intelligence officer, spelt out the findings in a book published in the West

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The bodies of Hilter and

The conclusive evidence

Braun, discovered by members of Smersh, Russian counter-intelligence, were examined in an autopsy. Both bodies were badly burnt and dental evid-ence was crucial to identifica-tion in both cases. Professor Sognnaes inter-viewed the two dental workers who now live in West Germany after being held prisoner by the Russians for ten years. He

# Gatting hits 59 in Lord's Test

12 Arts Preview pull-out

# Safety chief gives Facade of royal wedding fire risk warning

reached only by a narrow wooden staincase. Commander

Shears said there were two

ways out from everywhere in

the cathedral.

Mr David Harn, a senior divi

small fire or a smoke homb

could cause enough panic to kill many people alarmist.

Meetings were taking place to discuss arrangements for the

wedding and an inspection

one time, 80 per cent of them foreign, many are children, some are even deaf and dumb.

There is virtually no provision for their safety."

☐ The BBC has yet to reach

agreement with unions whose members are involved in cover-

Equity. The BBC said it hoped

middle of next.

The BBC will issue a record

of the ceremony on July 31 and hopes to market a video

The BBC wanted the unions

to accept a video agreement for the wedding itself but the

unions are pressing for a deal-which would include other cassettes.

had been written by Mr Jenkins who, for the second consecutive day, he insisted on calling a socialist because he had served in Labour govern-

Towards the end of the first

limited comfort from two opinion polis published yester-day (our Political Staff writes). One showed its standing among

voters nationally, and the other

according to a survey conducted by MORI (Market and Opinion Research International) last

stands. Mr Lawrence's Bill has no

Mr Lawrence's Bill has no chance of becoming law but he expects the Opposition to vote against its introduction, thus giving the Conservatives an opportunity to display in the lobbies their backing for

Mr Lawrence said yesterday that the aim was to show the Government, the communing depth of feeling among many MPs that more action was

TV LICENCE

A SUCCESS

tor vans that toured the country

in a drive to catch licence evaders in the four mouths up to last February had consider-able success. Home Office figures issued yesterday

148,000 in new licences, bring-ing in an extra £4m in revenue.

and while it cannot be proved that the vans, combined with local publicity, spurred the backsliders to greater efforts, the Home Office is satisfied they were the main factor.

As well as taking the campaign into the high terms and

paign into the big towns and cities, the vans spent a week in Jersey and a week in Guernsey.

The effect was marked.

While normally 25 new licences are taken out each week the vans presence led to a rush to buy 468 colour and 66 black-and-white licences

VANS

the principle behind it.

Buckingham Palace said fire prevention measures at St Paul's were a matter for the

The lack of fire precautions was a death trap and was at St Paul's Cathedral could reached only by a narrow lead to a disaster at the wedding of the Prince of Wales and Lady Diana Spencer, Mr James Tye, director general of the British Safety Council, said yesterday.

sional officer of the London Fire Brigade, said he found on Mr Tye's suggestion that even a But many of Mr Tye's findings were disputed by Commander Charles Shears, registrar of the cathedral, and a senior officer of the London Fire Brigade accused him of being alarmist .

There would be 2,700 people in the cathedral on July 29, many of them old, and even a small fire or a smoke bomb could create enough panic to cause many deaths, Mr Tye said. He visited the cathedral on Wednesday with Mr Harry Beckingham, an adviser to the safety council and a former chief fire officer. He said he was appalled by what he found and accused the authorities of being so besotted with security that fire and safety were over-

ideas to anyone who wants to make trouble."

Mr Tye said the cathedral should comply with the Fire Prevention Act. "There are some 800 visitors there at any one time 80 per cent of them One of Mr Tye's criticisms was that there were only four fire exits at the cathedral, one of which would be blocked at the wedding by an extension of the choir stalls for television

Commander Shears said there were eight fire exits and that were eight fire exits and that the north transept, where the choir would be on the wedding day, was not one of them. He also denied Mr Tye's claim that there were no procedures laid down for use in the event of

Procedures had been drawn up and all members had instructions about what to Commander Shears also denied Mr Tye's claim that there were no fire extinguishers on view or that the cathedral's fire officer had no training in fire prevention techniques.

According to Mr Beckingham, the first floor where the tele-vision crews will be situated

attack on the Government's in-

comprehensible economic poli-cies was seized grarefully by both the Labour and Social Democratic candidates in the

Warrington by-election yester-

day. For the campaign of Mr-Stanley Sorrell, the Conserva-tive, it was another spanner in

place for Mr Douglas Hoyle, Labour, who is basing his cam-

He hoped that the speech would put backbone into the Cabinet "wets" to stand up to

Cabinet "wets" to stand up to Mrs Margaret Thatcher.

Mr Roy Jenkins, the SDP's increasingly confident candidate, also raised the Heath speech without prompting at his daily press conference.

He said it was what a lot of people were thinking, including many former Conservative voters. It would give no comfort to Mr Sorrell or Mr Hoyle, who was just as opposed to the con-

was just as opposed to the con-sensus approach that Mr Heath said was necessary. Bur he failed to invite. Mr

Heath to join the SDP. When asked if he would, Mr Jenkins said: "No, but his thoughts are not dissimilar to a lot of my thoughts."

Mr Sorrell found the speech

much harder to take. He did not agree with a lot of what Mr. Heath had said and

benches in the Commons for further legislation to curb trade union power will be provided on July 22 when Mr Ivan Lawrence, Conservative MP for Burton, will attempt to introduce a Bill effectively abolishing the closed shop.

The time limit for consultations on the green paper on

tions on the green paper on trade union immunities expired on Tuesday and the Government is widely expected to bring more, if limited, legislation in the next session of Parliament.

notwithstanding a strong appeal

. The new address to visit

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By Qur Political Staff

An important new test of sup-port on the Conservative former Prime Minister, this benches in the Commons for week to leave the law as it

Jenkins and Hoyle

Mr Edward Heath's blistering wondered aloud if the speech

use Heath attack

# despair

By Hugh Noyes

industrial weapon.

selective action, and including 1,400 computer personnel, have halted the payment of £4,725m in PAYE, income tax and national insurance, and £1,920m

to continue with selective

industrial action after heavily

defeating a proposal that they should call a total strike.

Eight of the nine unions

voxed against a call from the

voted against a call from the largest, the Civil and Public Services' Association, for allout action and opted instead for prolonging selective strikes. One senior union leader suggested yesterday they could continue "into 1982."

The Countil of Civil Service.

The Council of Civil Service Unions said after the meeting

mater meeting that intensitied industrial action in the Inland Revenue could bring the total of uncollected tax by the end of the mouth to £8,700m.

sent strategy after being told that the unions' urgent appeal for additional levy payments to

support the selective suppages, sffecting more than 5,000 mem-

bers, had raised more than £1m

since last week. The unions, which are to re-

view their strategy at a further meeting before the end of the month, have also made it clear

to Lord Soames, Lord President of the Council, that "in the current circumstances".

Sir John Megaw. Mr Anthony Christopher, general secretary of the Inland

they would not be submitting Merseyside, the Wes evidence to the inquiry into and the North-west, future Civil Service pay under Mr Larry Gostin,

All-out strike call

is heavily defeated

By Donald Macintyre, Labour Reporter

The Civil Service unions are Revenue Staff Federation, who

Mr Humphrey Atkins, Secre-tary of State for Northern Ireland, courageously and effect-ively assumed the almost statutory facade of optimism over the future of Ulster when he opened the debute on the re-newal of the Northern Ireland Emergency Provisions order yesterday in the House of Com-

But it was soon only too clear why the mood of most MPs and of the country is of despair that any initiative by any govern-ment will ever work in this tormented province.

Even before Mr Atkins finished explaining his proposals for setting up a representative Northern Ireland council, Mr James Kilfedder, Ulster Unionist MP for Down North, was a proposal or his feet to describe leaping to his feet to describe the whole thing as "a very foolish move".

A few moments later, as Mr James Callaghan was announc-ing his dramatic new initiative

In spite of the attendance in the early stages of the debate of many of the leading figures in both the Conservative and ing the wedding (Kenneth Gasling writes). They include the Musicians Union and Labour parties, the attendance on the backbenches must have reflected the pessimistic mood of the House on possibly the most important but certainly the most intractable issue at present facing the British Gov-

> Even for the much heralded speech of Mr Callaghan there was scarcely more than a couple of dozen MPs on either side of the Chamber.

> Mr Atkins was given a respectful cheer by Tory back-benchers as he sat down while

It was an unhappy occasion for all, in spite of Mr Atkins's brave efforts to convince MPs that last year was one of the least violent in recent Irish

few months.

Most members would have been sympathetic to the words of Mr. Callaghan when he said that every scheme or plan that Britain had put forward had been criticized and found unsuitable by one or other community and sometimes by both. They had all ended up in the wastepaper basket.

As Mr Callaghan unvailed his plans, there were mutterings

forecast the outcome of the Warrington by election on July 16.
The Labour Party will win Warrington with only a slightly reduced majority, although the social democrats will gain more than a quarter of the votes.

weekend and early this week for Granada Television.

In the national poli, also conducted by MORI, for The New Standard, only 12 per cent of respondents said they would The motion to approve con-tinuation of the Emergency Pro-visions Act and the Northern Ireland Act, 1974 was then carried by 268 votes to 45. vote for the SDP in a general election.

would be made before the cere-mony. Senior fire officers would patrol the building throughout the day, as was normal for such an event.

He added: "We take all the precautions that are humanly possible and what alarms me about the British Safety Council's report is that it could give

> of a step by step approach towards a completely indepen-dent Northern Ireland, the expressions on the faces of the Ulster MPs were even less appreciative. Within minutes the Rev Robert Bradford, Official Ulster Unionist MP for Belfast, South, was describing the words of the former prime minister as a counsel of despair and stating that the province would never accept independ-

the even less enthusiastic response for Mr Callaghan's initiative reflected, the poor attendance rather than the feelings of MPs.

history—although he added that things had got worse in the last few months.

Stanley Sorrell, the Conservative, it was another spanser in
the works.

The former Prime Minister's
warning of the disastrous consequences of the rising toll of
jobless people fell perfectly into
place for Mr Douglas Hoyle,
Labour, who is having his camLabour, who is having his camLabour, who is having his cam-Labour, who is basing his campaign on the unemployment and Mr. Hoyle, usually with
issue.

He hoped that the speech draw him out.

The speech draw him out. one point as a deep growl met his suggestion that Northern Ireland should forge a new relationship with London and Dublin, the former Prime Minister turned anguly to repeat yes, with Dublin-don't be too frightened.

The mood of hopelessness for solutions continued also, through the speech of Mr Don Concannon, Opposition spokes-man on Ulster.

The Opposition amendment calling for a wide-ranging in-quiry into the workings of the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act was rejected by 279 votes to 213.

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Call to stop

From Our Labour Editor, Jersey

Mr Arthur Scargill, left wing

president of the Yorkshire miners, proposed last night, that oil imports for British power stations should be stopped to provide a bigger market for coal.

for coal ... In the opening shot of what promises to be a particularly militant policy-making conference of the National Union of Mineral Property of the Particular Property of the Pa

Mineworkers here next week, the left's standard-bearer said it

was ludicrous that 15 million tonnes of oil were being burnt

tary of State for the Environ-

ment, to reject his own inspector's proposal that mining should go shead in the Vals of Belvoir.

The minister's recommendation of Cobines with a committee that the committee of the committee o

tion to a Cabines sub-committee was disturbing and devastating, the Yorkshire pit leader said.

The miners are also expected to cock a snook at pleas from the Government and Confederation of British Industry for the restraints this winter by

wage restraints this winter by adopting a 25 per cent pay rise target that would put the lower-paid pitman on £100 a week.

oil imports

# Civil Service dispute

optimism £6,645m revenue blocked, staff says

The decision taken by the Council of Civil Service Unions yesterday on the next step in its pay campaign comes after what amounts to a 16-week test of the selective strike as an

With less than one per cent of white-collar civil servants on strike, the unions claim to have The mions, however, argue strongly that the interest incurred on higher borrowing attributable to the haking of stopped payment of £5,645m in revenue, disrupted Royal Ordnance Factory and dockyard production, seriously slowed the supply of passports, driving and vehicle licences, come closerevenue payments, which they estimate at \$70m, equivalent to an additional 2 per cent on the offer, will not be recovered. to paralysing the Scottish legal system, and cost British Air-ways £40m because of cancelled

The lay-offs of 809 industrial civil servants at the Royal Ordnance Factory at Bishopton, in Scotland, which makes propellants, demonstrates, the flights.
They have also so far failed to secure a better pay offer for impact of selective action in the Ministry of Defence, though officials point out that at least some production is going ahead in all 11 of the factories. According to the unions, strikes by inland revenue and customs and excise staff, accounting for nearly half of the 5,194 civil servants taking

The unions say strikers, ranging from clerical workers to senior scientists, have seriously hampered production of small arms, armoury and tanks, mortars and rocket launchers. Half the ordnance output is

The Treasury does not con-firm or deny that figure stand-ing by its estimate that net halted 93 per cent of stores revenue loss, including repay-ments which are not being supplies to naval dockyards,

played a leading part in press-

ing for the present strategy to continue, said he believed the

Government was seriously un-

derplaying the effect of indus-trial action on the Exchequer.

His union has called on members to halt payment of Corporation Tax, Advance Cor-

corporation Tax, and Schedule D tax paid by the self-employed. Yesterday's meeting took place against a background of further strikes at three Scottish air traffic control centres which reduced Scottish services by 75

per cent-and caused delays at

Heathrow and Gatwick airports.

The most likely course, if.
Government attitudes harden,
would be a statement that its

offer of 7 per cent was condi-

tional on a return to work and

that the increase will only be paid to those who promise not to strike during the course of the 1981-82 pay agreement.

made is 14,500m it shallenges repairing of conventional sub-the growing view among civil marines and brought the Polaris servants' leaders that an in fleet of four subman Polaris creasing proportion of the polaris servants leaders that an increasing proportion of the lost
revenue could prove irrecoverable because of the huge task
of enforcement that awaits the
Government that awaits the

drawn into what it described yesterday as "an unwelcome public dialogue in areas of sensitivily and national security by discussing the impact on Polaris submarines.

Delays to stores, the Navy said, had forced the senior service to use its ingenuity to ensure that operational capacity remained unimpaired British Airways gave a warn-

ing last week that if the pro-gramme of one-shift strikes by air traffic control staff, which began on April 27, continues until the end of August, losses could total 1900t. Cargo imports through Heathrow and Gatwick have also been delayed by sporadic strikes of customs

computer staff.

The total backlog of known passport applications held up in the pipeline is estimated at. 145,000, excluding those tied up in mailbags that have not been

Strikes by staff at four computer centres of the Departments of Employment and of

Health and Social Security have halted payment of earningsrelated supplement to unem-ployed people eligible to receive it, and meant that unemployment and child benefit payments are being made manually, at a cost in overpayments and administrative charges of up to Sm'a week.

A strike by 48 computer and other staff at the Paymaster General's Office in Crawley has become the focus of a propa-ganda battle between the Government and the unions because of the disruption to pension payments for nearly a million ably more seriously for mini sters, it is making the matching of departmental net- expendi ture to budgets almost impos-sible.

Last month the heads of the legal profession in Scotland warned the Government that the prolonged denial of justice in Glasgow Sheriff Court, where 156 clerical and adminis trative staff are on strike, has created a "situation which any civilized communty must regard

At Companies House in London and Cardiff, solicitors and accountants are unable to check registers of company

They want changes in the law to permit employers damaged by unofficial stoppages to suc the organizers of such action and their unions for an injunctien or for damages.

tion or for damages.

The employers have told the minister that building was it subjected "all too frequenty to sudden disruptive action in wrich procedural arrangement for resolving disputes are disrepared." regarded.
"here are strong economic pressures on employers to reach a rapid settlement in these son

Sanctions

sought on

By Paul Routledge Labour Editor Building industry employer

want the Government to put a want the Government that tisk the funds of unions that the finds of unions that

strikers, but they do not share the political revulsion felt by Conservative backbeach life.

In representations to be

James Prior, Secretary of State

for Employment, on his Green

Paper on trade union immuni-ties, the National Federation of Building, Trades, Employers says: "The general issue of

closed shop agreements is not of great concern to our industry

since very few such agreements are to be found in building and

we envisage that this will con-

tinue to be the case.

But the 10,000 building firms

in the federation, employing several hundred thousand por-

kers, do want immunity with

drawn fro mtrade unions whose

members take industrial action before exhausting disputer pro-

cedures.

over the closed shop.

'wildcat'

strikers

a fapid sectrement in mest son of cases, and these pressure; can be particularly acute for certain building operations and as concrete pouring, pleatering, where costly materials can be wasted completely if a disput cannot be settled quickly, they The federation thinks it

doubtful that kegal arises against individuals or unions responsible for unofficial strikes would be brought often, but argues that a change in the law could have a powerful deterrer

"The possibility of this hap pening would have the effect of encouraging unions to do more brober opservance of street procedures for resolving dis-procedures for resolving dis-putes, the employers say.

In addition, the federation proposes that Mr Prior should immediately outlaw units labour-only clauses in commer-cial contracts which

cial contracts, which are more common in the building indu-try than elsowhere. Like the engineering em-ployers, with whom their en-dence to the minister has many points of contact, the building companies do not want collec-tive agreements with unions to tive agreements with unions to

be made legally enforceable, nor do they favour compulsory secret bellots in industry.

They want the provisions on secondary action of the Employment Act, 1980, to be tested and, if necessary, strengthened before thought is given to any further curbs in this area.

# RAF will not be used to stop air chaos

By George Clark, Political Correspondent The Government has urgently the Government to " make alter-

considered using Service per-sonnel to take over air traffic control

However, in view of the definite risk that this would provoke a serious intensification of the Civil Service unions' action, ministers have rejected the idea. Well trained Royal Air Force

air traffic controllers, compe-tent in modern air traffic control techniques, work along-side the civilian air traffic controllers at the West Drayton centre, outside Heathrow air-Control of both civil and

milinary aircraft over England and Weles is exercised on a 50-50 basis between civilians and Service controllers, and the it would be perfectly feasible for the RAF controllers to take over responsibility for the whole. Government's study shows that Already 76 Conservative

MIND, the mental health charity, said they were alarmed at the effect the dispute was having on mental health review Arready to Conservative backbenchers, led by Mr Cranley Obslow, MP for Woking, chairman of the Select Committee on Defence, have signed a Commons motion stattribunals (Lucy Hodges writes). No more applications from ing that they are no longer pre-pared to tolerate the continu-ing inconsiderate behaviour of those air traffic controllers who are causing serious demage patients to leave mental hospi-tals are being processed on Merseyside, the West Midlands,

Single rail

From David Felton Labour Reporter St Andrews

A single union representing Britain's 220,000 railway workers came nearer yesterday

when the main union accepted the principle of a federation with the other two unions.

The annual conference of the National Union of Railwaymen in Sr Andrews overwhelmingly

approved the terms of the federation which will link the NUR with the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen (Aslef)

and the white-collar Transport Salaried Staffs' Association.

The proposals have already been accepted by Aslef but, so far, the TSSA is opposing the

ides.

The federation, which is strongly supported by Mr Len Murray, general secretary of the TUC, has been mooted for

many years but has become more important recently because of the difficulties facing the railway industry. A subsidiary reason for the move is understood to be financial difficulties being suffered by

union

nearer

native provision for this essen-

Mr William Rees Davies, Tory MP for Thanet, West, who takes a close interest in the tourist trade, proposes that the Government should introduce emergency legislation to protect essential services "by declar-ing it unlawful for air traffic controllers to strike, as is the case in other overseas. coun-

Mr Robert Atkins, MP for Preston, North, an officer of the Tory backbenchers' aviation committee, said that while the backbenchers did not want the Government to give way to the air traffic controllers, therewere alternatives: they could use the Royal Air Force, or International Aeradio or other private enterprise companies.
"The public's patience is fast coming to an end", he said.

Mr Pym said the Government on travellers of the strike action by controllers who were not actually members of the Civil Service. He did not take up the point of a request for the Government to consider private enterprise substitutes.

International Aeradic is a subsidiary of British Airways. It provides training for air tref-fic controllers who obtain con-Mr Larry Gostin, legal direction who are causing serious demage fic controllers who obtain control MIND, said he would controller to British civil aviation and tracts in a number of overseas sider appealing to the European severe inconvenience to the countries, particularly in the travelling public." They call on Middle East.

# Doctor explains danger of test tube baby techniques

From Nicholas Timmins, Brighton

Test tube baby techniques implantation to be delayed until the optimum moment in the well as great benefits by allowing the genetic manipulation of embryos, the British Medical Association was warned yester. "We are doing things to one human being for the benefit of anythings to one human being for the benefit of anythings."

Research projects in this area had already been pro-posed, Dr Michael Thomas, chairman of the BMA's central ethical committee, told the association's annual representaive meeting in Brighton.

"There is no doubt that technology has run shead of ethics. Whilst there may well be great benefits for our patients, I must warn you that

there are certainly great dangers", he said, announcing a study of the ethical implica-tions of such techniques, tions of such techniques.

Speaking outside the meeting,
Dr Thomas said the technology
was advincing rapidly. It might
be possible to screen the
embryo before it is reimplanted

and correct defective genes that would lead to mental handicap, blood disease and other inherited disorders.

They might also, however, eventually make possible the "breva poes and "breva"

"brave new world" of individuals who could be made "to conform to the party line before birth".

Two years ago, he said, the test tube baby tellinique has consisted simply of marrying sperm to an ovum and reimplanting it in the mother. Already, however, it was pos-sible to freeze embryos to allow

formations.

"The medical profession has got to look at itself in the mirror. We must make sure we are not doing something that will make the nation tell us that we were idiots." Dr. Thomas said. Thomas said.

The association also repeated its warnings to the public to avoid "cowboy" cosmetic surgery clinics and urged again that patients should be referred.

implantation to be delayed until
the optimum moment in the
mother's hormone cycle to give
the best chance of a pregnancy.
"We are doing things to one
human being for the benefit of
another", he said.
It might take 10,000 births
before it was known whether
the technique was safe or
carried risks of congenital malformations.

for cosmetic surgery only by family doctors.

The General Medical Council is introducing new regulations that should restrict some of the

that should restrict some of the activities of clinics; that advertise directly to the public, but Dr Thomas said her feared that the guidance would not be totally effective.

Dr T. E. Godrich, of Woking, said: "The public does not realize that there are very few extremely capable plastic surgeons available and is deluded in thinking that if they pay a lot of money to a surgeon in an lot of money to a surgeon in an advertised cowboy clinic that they are necessarily skilled at their job and can produce an improvement without any risk.

### STAFF SEE BIFFEN By Dan van der Vat

All parties concerned with the editorial independence of The Observer should agree on safeguarding it as a condition of government consent to the Lonrho takeover, journalists from the paper told Mr John Biffen, Secretary of State for Trade, yesterday.

Mr Robert Low, father of the National Union of Journalists' chapel (office branch chairman) at The Observer, said the meeting with Mr Biffen and his additional said of the chairman with Mr Biffen and his additional said of the chairman with Mr Biffen and his additional said of the chairman with Mr Biffen and his additional said of the chairman with the

ditional on the achievement of an understanding on safeguards The NUJ's national leadership

Small rises rejected

Engineering unions whose negotiations affect two million of the industry's workers yester day rejected government please for low settlements in the coming pay round, but avoided tying themselves to claiming a specific percentage increase.

The annual meeting of the Confederation of Shipbuilding and Engineering Unions unanmously approved a claim for substantial increases. A proposal to commit the unions to seeking a 264 per cent increase was withdrawn. Making it clear that they

would not be ready to settle would not be ready to settle for the low percentages suggested by the Government and the Confederation of Bridsh Industry, Mr Terence Duffy, president of the Amagamared Union of Enginering Workers and the Amagamared faced said that workers were faced with monstrous pressures from government economic policies.



# - Mortgage for fall-out shelter

cvery year to generate electricity when milions of tonnes of coal were stocked.

His proposal is experted to resurface when the miners delegates discuss a motion from the South Wales coalfield, demanding a 200 million tonne annual output for the industry. manding a 200 million tonne annual output for the industry with a guaranteed marker in coal-fired generators.

Mr Scargill linked his idea for an end to the CEGB oilburn to the political furore developing over a decision by Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of Scarging to the Environ

Mr. David Watts, a telephone engineer, has taken out a £15,000 mortgage to install a nuclear fall-out shelter in his back garden.

Mr. Watts borrowed the money through the Abbey Watts is doing this for his National building society.

Yesterday he was at an hotel with his wife and son aged three, while the seventon don't believe they work."

# House prices increase

House prices rose by 2.8 per cent in the second quarter of first quarter of the year.

1981 and the average home in First time buyers have paid less for their homes, with a move than a year ago, the Abbey National Building Society says.

The increase is the first since: the middle of 1980 and confirms 3.2 per cent against the position the the second adopting a 25 per cent pay rise target that would put the lower paid pitman on £100 a week with consequent increases up the society's prediction that the pay scale. Solarly levels of end of the recession in house this sort were not excessive by prices has been reached. In nine and Greater London have shown any standards, Mr Scargill out of 12 regions prices are higher prices for first-time rising, compared with a rise in buyers in the past three months.

# Ablef. There is a long history of hostility between the NUR and Aslef and the latter has always considered itself as the industrial translation. try's craft union. There have been many disruptions of rail services because of demarca-tion disputes and union leaders hope that those will end once the federation is formed.

Mr Murray, who drew up the terms for the federation, is understood to be bringing strong pressure to bear on the TSSA to bring it into line and a meeting between him and the general secretaries of the three unions is being arranged.

Mr Sidney Weighell, NUR general secretary, told the conference: "The federation will be the conference of the conference

stamp out the poaching of members between our two unions and will bring an end to the conflict between us which has caused so much disruption on the railways in the past."

A single industrial union would be a more powerful negotiator and there were other benefits such as sharing

administration, educational and research tosts. Under Mr Murray's proposals the NUR and Aslef will agree to areas of responsibility and will not recruit each other's

members.

At first each union will retain its autonomy and the federation will be governed by a council drawn from the three unions. Each union would have the power of veto over proposals with which it did not

# OBSERVER'

visers had been very cordial. "We suggested that he should make his agreement con-

by all those concerned. yesterday denounced the appro-val of the takeover granted by the Monopolies and Mergers Mr Biffen is taking a final

# Sanction Sleeping doctor is Sought Censured by Strikers ombudsman

severely criticized in a report published yesterday which highlighted two cases of children being stillborn.

In his annual report Mr Cecil Clothier, Health Service Commissioner, described the incidents—one in which a doctor fell asleep, and another in which a mother in labour was "shamefully neglected".

The two cases highlighted were among 647 investigated by Mr Clothier last year, 15 percent more than in 1979 and the second highest number since his office opened in 1973.

In the first case he reports

In the first case he reports on a midwife who became concerned about the baby's health and called a senior registrar at 3.40am and again 10 minutes. later, but he did not arrive until 4.30.

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Mr Clothier said the registrer had fallen asleep. "He was greatly upset by the events and deeply regretted that the baby was stillborn.

"Overpowering fatigue is a familiar towards to many who

familiar torment to many who work in the caring services. But duty is not to be denied, and the senior registrar should have

"His failure to do so, isolated though it was, calls forth my severe criticism."

In the second case, Mr Clotheir said a women was shamefully neglected at her time of need and be could find no mitigating circumstances to moderate his severe criticism. The parents complained that neglect by midwifery staff led to their son being born dead when he might have lived.

The midwife was informed of

the wife's severe pains at 8.40pm but she was not attended until an hour later. The baby died at 10.10.

Because of conflicting evidence, Mr Clotheir, for the first time, held a formal hearing between the parties with legal representatives and evidence on

representatives and evidence on oath. He said that he was dissatisfied with many parts of the evidence of the midwife sister and her pupil.

"I concluded that the woman was left unattended for the perod of which she complained, that her cries for help were ignored, and that the bell by which she could have summoned help was not drawn to her attention or put reach, he said.

# Vets oppose electric shock machine

animals with a mild electric shock along the spine should be banned, veterinary surgeous

The British Veterinary Association said a legal loophole would allow such a machine to be sold in Britain before it had been shown not to be cruel.

Mr Neal King, chairman of the animal welfare committee of the association, said: "We would like it proven to us that this is not a highly specialized form of torture of the animals

in our care. We, with the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, are not satisfied that the machine is humane. There is evidence to how that there is aversion to it. Animals do not come trot-ting back a second time."

The machine, which uses torch batteries, was developed in Australia where it is used to keep sheep still for shearing. are held by Mr Anthony Rosen, one of the most flambovant figures in British agriculture in the 1970s, who once presided over one of the largest dairy farming empires in Europe. He said yesterday that it would revolutionize animal

Executives

of tax fraud

Their acquittal came after two-and-a-half weeks of legal submission in the absence of the jury, after the prosecution case had ended.

They had all denied conspiring together and with others unknown, between January 1, 1972, and May, 1977, to defraud the Inland Revenue. The company also denied the charge, which involved the alleged

non-payment of taxes by work-men on building sites.

there is no case fit and proper for you to consider."

ted their defence costs, esti-mated at £250,000, out of central

All the defendants were gran-

When the jury returned to the court yesterday, Judge Law-son said: "I have come to the conclusion, on all the evidence which has been before you, that

cleared

By Hugh Clayton A machine which immobilizes nimals with a mild electric animals rigid, upright, and hock along the spine should be anned, veterinary surgeons and vesterday.

Associated with a hot branding iron had shown that cartle did not feel with a hot branding iron had shown that cartle did not feel with a hot branding iron had shown that cartle did not feel pain when the machine was switched on. "There is no question of poor beast", he said. "The beast is absolutely

He had arranged for the machine, which will sell at about £400, to be made under licence in Britain. But he would not sell it here until it had been accepted by veterinary

authorities.

Mr King said that the law demanding clearance by official tests before veterinary drugs were sold did not apply to machines. The only way to stop their spread was through successful prosecutions of a succession of users on grounds of crucity. He said Mr Rosen's machine should be submitted machine should be submitted to experiment under Home Office licence issued under the Cruekty to Animals Act.

Mr Rosen said that if he applied for a licence and conducted tests, vets would sus-pect the results. "I am very hurt by their antitude. We are only too ready to co-operate with them."

# Whitehall publishes spending concordat

new concordat which gives the Treasury greater powers to control spending and to secure efficiency in Whitehall depart-ments was published yesterday. It was agreed last month by Cabinet ministers.

The document, which has the firm support of the Prime Minister, bears the imprint of Sir Derek Rayner, joint managing director of Marks and Spencer, her adviser on elimination of waste. Sir Derekhas often stated publicly his conviction that a tauter relationship between the two central departments, the Treasury and ship between the two central departments, the Treasury and the Civil Service Department, and the big employers and spenders on the periphery was needed if improvements in Whitehall efficiency and economy were to be achieved.

The paper, Control of Expen-diture: Departmental Respon-sibilities, was circulated by Sir Geoffrey Howe, Chanceller of the Exchequer. It enshrines the dominant role of the Treasury in controlling spending, of the CSD in restraining manpower and of both in the pursuit of efficiency.

Taken together with a joint Treasury and CSD letter to permanent secretaries (published in *The Times* on May 27) instructing them to bring their internal audit procedures up to standard, it amounts to an un-mistakable reassertion of authority by the central depart-ments over the rest, of White-hall.

Since the visit of the Inter-national Monetary Fund after the collapse of sterling in 1976, relations between the Treasury and the rest of Whitehall have been tightened. A process cul-minating in yesterday's develop-ment. ment

The latest paper presecribes the central authorities right to intervene to ensure that ministries are operating adequate systems for controlling money and people, and to ensure that where there are defects action is taken promptly and effectively.

A crucial role is assigned to finance and establishment officers in departments in effecting the new relationship with the Treasury and the CSD

The theme of the concordat is the overriding need to ensure spending and manpower do not exceed ceilings agreed by ministries with the central departments. There is an insis-tence that the Treasury and the CSD are consulted in advance on any proposals that would in-volve extra spending, and that they are involved at a formative stage in any policy discussions that could have substantial financial or manpower implica-

# Ex-wife says she sold jewelry to pay debts

Mrs Elizabeth Hegard, the millionaire's former wife in the "company cuff-links" case, told Ten executives of William Press and Son, the building company, and an outside ac-countant, who were alleged to a judge in the High Court yes-terday that there was nothing of value left at the former have taken part in an income tax fraud of more than £500,000 family home in Surrey and she had sold all her jewelry for were cleared at the Central Criminal Council yesterday on the direction of Judge Lawson, £35,000.

£35,000.

She said: "I handed over my jewelry to the person who had lent me £35,000. Since my divorce, I have had legal costs bills of £42,000 in Scotland and England."

Cross-examined by counsel for three of her former husband's companies, she denied she was living with the man who lent her the money.

"I am not living with anyone", she told Mr Justice Comyn.

case had ended.

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Seed 42, a financial director of Peasenhall.

Cotto Helichtel and Cotto Cotto Cotto Helichtel Cotto Cotto Helichtel Cotto Co Mrs Hegard, aged 38, of Whitacre, Fairmile Avenue, Cobham, Surrey, was continuing her evidence in the action in which she is being sued by two of the companies for return of jewelry and other items worth £50,000.

company property.

Mrs Hegard says they were gifts from her former husband, Mr Per hristian Hegard, aged

Seton Trust, is seeking damages over the late return by Mrs-Hegard of a Rolls-Royce Silver

Shadow.

Mr Terence Cullen, QC, for the companies, suggested to Mrs Hegard that throughout her marriage to Mr Hegard she "enjoyed the benefit of his fraud on his comapnies".

She replied: "I enjoyed the benefit of being married to a man who was a multi-millionaire".

Seton Fine Arts and Invery House claim the jewels, includ-ing diamond-studded cuff-links, were on loan to her and were

50, a Norwegian.
A third Hegard company,

She said she was not a party to any fraud on the income tax, the companies or anyone else. Mrs Hegard told the judge of the economies she was having to make now that she was divorced and supported by her parents and the father of her

She had nowhere to live other

than the Surrey house.

"We have cut off everything we can," she said. "We have disconnected three telephones, cut off the gas to the outdoor buildings and cut off the electricity to the outside security lights."

She told the court how she became a Lloyd's underwriter. Her husband arranged for £100,000 to be paid into her bank account for seven days to satisfy a Lloyd's condition that underwriters should have lived. underwriters should have liquid assets of that amount.

Mr Justice Comyn remarked : This was a shocking fraud practised upon Lloyd's. This £100,000 was paid into a bank for a week and represented as Mrs Hegard's property and then taken and put back into the company's books."

Mrs Hegard said the Lloyd's arrangement was made by her husband. She signed blank forms and was told by Mr Hegard that the details "would be filled in later".

She added: "When my husband told me to sign comething.

band told me to sign something.
I signed it. At that time she
had no reason to distrust him.
Mrs Hegard said her husband's cigar bills at Dunhills in St James's were between £10,000 and £15,000.

"I know that to the ordinary person, and to me, this sounds an emormous amount of money. But in terms of normal living expenses with my husband, it was nothing.

The hearing continues today.

# Mr Travers suggests a num-Mr Travers advocates the ber of measures to reduce this level of Government grant, although this would increase many rate bills. In areas such as Wales and Yorkshire the abolition of domestic relief, at present 18.50 in England and 36p in Wales, and a reduction in the Government's overall grant percentage of 60 per proportion of many



The Dalai Lama, on a private visit to London, meeting members of Britain's Tibetan community in Westminster yesterday. During the meeting, he took tea, ate sweet rice and was made the traditional Long Life offering.

# Higher rates urged to cut grants

Mr Tony Travers, research fellow at North East London Polytechnic says in a report published today.

Explaining this uncomfort-sole result for domestic rate-payers, Mr Travers says that unless this happens soon, local authority finance will strangle democratic government

increases would be very large, and it would be desirable for

should pay the domestic rate contributions more for local government in parts of the country where services in order to increase they are low to be increased the accountability of local into line with the highest councillors to their electorate, "Frequent and comprehensible revaluations would make

rates more acceptable. Unpopularity because of higher rate bills would make it necessary for councillors to work harder at justifying their actions and to provide the services people were willing to pay for. This is increased accountability."

authorities' expenditure met by he rates is very small. Domestic ratepayers often contribute less than 15 per cent of an authority's total spending, and in Wales it is as low as 7.2 per cent, he says.

Figures for 1980-81 show that in six countries, Powys, Mid-Glamorgan, Cwynedd Cumbris, Dyfed and West Yorkshire, more than 70 per cent of local spending is met by Government

In Laucashire the Government contributes £2.77 for every £1 paid by ratepayers, compared with Surrey, which receives 79p in governmen grant for each £1 paid in rates Rates, Grants and Accountability (NELP, Livingstone Road, London

### TU of Bb attack cu. in services

By Kenneth Gosling The latest cuts imposed by the Government on the BBC's external services would seriously damage rheir inter-national effectiveness, the BBC board of governors said yester-day in a statement.

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It asked if the financial savings of 3.5 per cent justified a reduction of 8 per cent in external broadcasting. Mr George Howard, the chairman, of the board, is to make repre-sentations to the Foreign Office.

Office.

The board said the implications of the Government's intentions to end broadcasting in seven language services and to abolish the BBC's transcrip-tion service were serious. It tion service were serious. It was the seventh cut in external services funding in eight years. The loss of carefully built-up audiences in important parts of the world woud be almost irreparable; there was a risk that other broadcasters would take up the valuable frequencies those services used; and the expert knowledge of the staff

would be lost.

The board viewed with dis-may the proposal to disband the transcription service, which supplied the best of British radio programmes to more than 80 countries.

The new cuts proposed would seriously damage the in-ternational effectiveness of the BBC's external services at a time when other countries throughout the world are increasing their services. The re-lease of delayed investment in transmitters, while welcome, only restores some, though not all, of the projects cut in econo-mies made in 1979."

#### SANDS MARCHER IS FINED £39

A demonstrator, arrested by a police commander during the banned Kilburn march in sup-port of Robert Sands, the Irish hunger-striker, was fined £39 at Willesden Magistrates Court yesterday.

Keith Andrew Hayton, aged 23, unemployed, of Clapton Common, Clapham, admirted wilfully obstructing Commander Stanley Squire of Q Division in the execution of his duty

Stress hits teachers throughout

The rap. McGregor trial museumlan McGregor which the pub. July 2 reached a new states a serious with the launching find for of the institute of Industries, Archaeology.

Of the Institute of Industries, Archaeology. red
This is a teaching venture conceived in 1978 by Professor
J. R. Harris, of the Department of Economic and Social History, Birmingham University, and Dr. Neil Cossons, director of the Ironbridge Gorge Museum. The result of the collaboration will be a postgraduate dialogue. be a postgraduate diploma also be short courses for pro-fessionals in related fields and for the public at large, and a wide research programme.

Professor, Harris said that Professor Harris said that while museum staff and academics had played some part in the development of industrial adohaeology, much of its success had been due to a spontaneous popular interest and the endustiasm of energenic and intelligent lay people—"that vital toppular audience which those in ivory towers neglect at their peril". their peril"

He and his colleague were taking on a tough financial task in the depth of recession and those who disked their money—wheeler museum or university—could only go so far and contemplate support for about three years, after which the institute had to cover costs. Companies that took a pride in their bistory might help, he said by a grant or an underwriting of a few hundred pounds to mount a short course in an ambitious and satisfying

Alchough Miles Kingnon, in The Times had had some fun about the subject (June 29). Professor Harris said he did not see that there was a danger of the public becoming involved in an unhealthy preoccupation with the past.

"I believe on the contrary, that both individual inspiration and national morale can benefit from an appreciation of the forming industrial production and creating new weelth, Britain pioneered."

# AROUND FWORLD ON19 GALLONS.



Quite incredible. But quite possible - as 12 year old Conrad Beale proved in the 'Cyclone Special' at Silverstone on Wednesday.

As one of 61 entrants in Shell's annual Mileage Marathon, Conrad (driving for the Cyclone Hovercraft Team), set out to push fuel economy to the limit.

The Cyclone Special came first with an astounding 1,309 mpg. Several other entrants achieved over 1000 mpg. Shell products helped the entrants test and

develop their machines from the start. When it comes to research into fuel economy, you can be sure Shell's playing its part.



# Bishops bolster the Prayer Book

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent

New measures to fortify the position of the 1662 Book of Common Prayer against the competition of the 1980 Altercompetition of the 1980 After-native Service Book in the Church of England have been approved by the hishops, a de-velopment hailed by the Prayer Book Society as a moral victory. The supporters of the tradit-ional forms of worship success-fully introduced urivate memfully introduced private mem-bers Bills into the Lords and

Commons in April, in an attempt to safeguard the Book of Common Prayer. The Prayer Book Society, which was behind both Bills, claimed that the Alternative Service Book was being unfairly promoted, squeezing out the prayer book in spite of demand from ordinary churchgoers.

Church of England has announced three steps to rein-force the Book of Common Prayer in the light of these expressions of parliamentary concern. concern.

concern.

Each bishop has agreed to raise the matter with the bishop's council in each diocese. Secondly, the General Synod is to be asked to authorize the reissuing of its Guide for Parishes, which sets out the method by which parishes have to decide which form of service to use. One of the complaints most often made by the Prayer Book Society is that incumbents have put pressure on parishionhave put pressure on parishion-ers to abandon the Book of Common Prayer in favour of the

The third step is to draw the In a resolution published matter to the attention of the noping is that they outlined today, the House of Bishops of governing bodies and principals Prayer Book full parity with the the General Synod of the of the 14 theological colleges new book in every college

Alternative Service Book.

which train ordinands for the ministry. The Prayer Book Society has complained that in only three of the colleges is the 1662 book given parity with the 1980 book, and in most it is ignored. That was producing a generation of priests who had no knowledge of the 1662 book, the society claimed.

The colleges will be asked to consider the matter with a view to securing the use of both the Book of Common Prayer and of the Alternative Service Book in teaching and in worship.

Professor David Martin, vicewhich train ordinands for the

Professor David Martin, vicepresident of the society, said: "This is really positive. It really is shocking that young clergy have been arriving in the parishes never having used the Prayer Book. What we are hoping is that they give the investigation for refusing to provide services to disabled residents, after complaints to Mr Patrick Jenkin, Secretary of State for Social Services, that

they are breaking the law.

Permission is being sought from the Truorney General to take Mr Jenkin to court for not using his default powers against other local authorities policies to stop providing ser-vices under the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act.

The investigations and pos-sible legal action will be raised in the Commons today during an Opposition supply debate on the International Year of Disabled People.

The Opposition motion calls on the Government to initiate discussions with relevant organications to produce a programme of action to maintain the impetus of the international year after 1981.

Action against local authorities who refuse to provide services required under the Act comes after 14 disability organizations combined to monitor any effects spending cuts were having on services for disabled people. The Act requires coun-cils to identify disabled residents and provide them with

specified services.

More than 400 cases have been investibated under the project and most have resolved when the attention of local authorities was drawn to their legal obligations. in what the charities have been advised is an illegal manner. Some have refused to assess sed, others have accepted a need but failed to provide a service, and some have withdrawn

IN BRIEF

#### of fines Baronet formally discharged is sought

Sir Ruper Mackeson, grandson of the founder of Mackeson's brewery, was given a formal discharge yesterday at Bow Street magistrates' court, where he had faced 16 charges of dishonestly obtaining cheques and services worth more than

The High Court last Thursday prohibited the hearing of the charges against Sir Rupert, aged 39, of Orchard Cottage, Portman Square, Marylebone, London, because he had been extradited from

#### Gift breaks water main A railway engine presented

by China to the National Railways Museum at York fractured a water main as it passed through Sheffield yesterday. Tankers had to supply homes in areas of the City.

#### £175,000 damages

Miss Susan Hambleton, of Brisbane, Australia, aged 21, was awarded £175,000 agreed damages and costs by Mr Justice McNeill in the High Court at Liverpool yesterday for head injuries received in a road accident while on holiday in Liverpool in 1978.

#### Four die in house irre

A mother and three children died in a fire in a house in Belgrave Road, Walthamstow, east London, early yesterday. Mr Mohammed Khan, aged 45, jumped to safety but his wife and three sons, aged ten, nine and two, were trapped:

#### Death crash names

Two of the times men who died when two cars collided on the A63 near Hull were named North, aged 28, of Poynton, Cheshare, and his passenger, Mr George Henry Smith, aged 53, of Market Weighton, Hum-

#### £72,000 damages

Pascall Hallier, aged 24, of Rouen, a former national water polo player, was awarded 572,000 agreed damages in the High Court in London yesterday for road crash injuries which led to the amputation of his right leg.

#### Robbery charge

Julie Alison Tiddy, aged 19, of Bitteswell Road, Lutter-worth, Leicestershire, was remanded in custody for a week yesterday at Highbury Magi-strates' Court, north London, charged with robbing a Post Office employee of post worth £4,800 at Swinford, Leicester-shire, on June 18.

# Teenage delinquents are people too

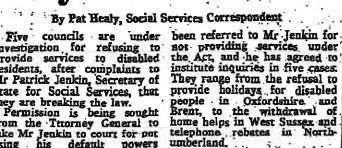
Who can a teenager turn to it his parents seem to turn eway? What does a terrager do if no one cares what he does? There's no work, no money, nothing to do but drift in the streets. It's so easy to turn to crime when you're young, confused, broke and inustrated,

Our Family Centres give teenagers somewhere to go and something to do: and offer guidance and counselling to help them through to adulthood. Help us to help them. Send a donation to:

Church of England Children's Socia Room X3 Old Town Hell,

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Gwynedd is also to be investigated for failing to supply meals on wheels

No decision has yet been reached on one of the remaining cases, but Mr Jenkin has refused to act in the other two on the ground that the indivi-duals affected are not willing to be named.

Mr Jenkin has told the Royal
Association for Disability and
Rehabilitation (Radar), which

is administering the monitoring project, that he can investigate the failure of an authority to meet the needs only of a particular, named individual.

Radar has been advised that Mr Jenkin's decision amounts to a misdirection of his default powers, under which he can order a local authority to provide the services defined in the Act. They are seeking leave from the Attorney General to appeal to the divisional court for a ruling that Mr Jenkin has a general duty to ensure that councils fulfil their duty In a briefing prepared for MPs for today's debate, Radar says that if Mr Jenkin's decision is allowed to stand it will be impossible to stop local authorities continuing to break the law when the complainance the law when the complainants

want to remain anonymous. Many disabled people do not want to be identified, the briefing says, because they are receiving other services from their councils and do not want So far, eight councils have to endanger those.

# Wider use

Fines should be more widely sed as an alternative to send-

used as an alternative to sending offenders to prison, according to a report published yesterday.

It also says that fewer people should be sent to prison for not paying fines imposed on them. The report, by a working party of the National Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders (Nacro) points out that more than 17,000 fine defaulters were sent to prison in 1979 and that this to prison in 1979 and that this was a serious problem for an already overburdened prison

The working party rejects the abolition of imprisonment for fine defaulters. Imprison-ment had to remain as the last resort, but it was necessary to ensure that all other alternatives had been exhausted.

Courts should take greater care to impose fines that the

offender was able to pay. They should first estimate the weekly amount the person could afford and then reflect the gravity of the offence by the number of weekly instalments imposed upon the offender. Relating a fine closely, to an

offender's means would also lead to people who were better off being fined more heavily. Offenders should also be able to pay their fines by credit card.

Another way of keeping fine defaulters out of prison would be to make more use of other ways of collecting moneys owing—for instance attachment of earnings.

Fine Default (NACRO, 169 Clapham Road, London SW9;

# **TARLING** APPEAL REFUSED

Mr Richard Tarling, a former director of the Far East conglomerate, Haw Par Brothers International Ltd, yesterday lost his last chance to clear his name of violating Singapore

Mr Tarling, who lives Mr Tarling, who lives at Wimbledon, was refused leave by the Privy Council in London to appeal against his conviction in Singapore High Court on April 24, 1980, after a 59 day hearing, on five charges. Fifteen other charges were dropped.

Mr Tarling, who was extradited in March, 1980, after a two-year legal battle, was jailed for six months but released after four:

after four. His appeal against conviction and sentence was dismissed in January by the Singapore Appeal Court.

Mr Louis Blom-Cooper, QC, for Mr Tarling, submitted there was no evidence to support the

Lord Diplock, sitting with Lord Edmund-Davies and Sir Owen Woodbouse of New Zea-land, dismissed the application without hearing submissions on behalf of the prosecution.

#### BUILDER FREED AFTER APOLOGY

John Bartram, aged 43, a builder, earned his release

with his wife.

He was imprisoned two mouths ago for breaching a court injunction barring him from the detached bungalow he had built with his own hands

at Eistead, Surrey,
Yesterday at the County
Court in Guildford, Surrey,
Judge Vick decided Mr Bart ram had purged his contempt.







Tradition, style, frivolity, practicality: Spectators and competitors sporting a wide range of headgear on the opening day of the Henley Royal Regatta.

Cuts in the universities

# 20,000 fewer places for students by 1985 By Diana Geddes and Frances Gibb

grant cut by an average of 17 per cent over the next three years, and their number of home and EEC students cut by 7.5 per cent, or 20,000 places, over the next four years. That is made clear in the figures announced by the Government

The outs are highly selective. Seven universities will lose more than a quarter of their grant and between 14 per cent and 30 per cent of their home and EEC students. Four of those seven are former col-leges of advanced technology. They are Salford, Ason, Bradford, and Surrey.

However, two other technowever, two order textnological universities, Bath and
the University of Manchester
Institute of Science end Technology, are the only institutions,
other than the two postgraduate business schools,
whose home and EPC student
numbers are to increase.
Overall, the University Grants
Commission plans a slight Committee plans a slight increase of numbers in science and technology."

The table is based on figures released by the Government and the committee yesterday. However, great care should be taken in its interpretation. The home and EEC student figures for 1979-80, are the committee's target figures for that year, not actual numbers. Many univer-sities exceeded their targets, with the result that their plan-ned loss of students is greater

The grants committee says that the expected loss in universities' income of 11 to 15 per cent between 1979-80 and 1983-84, attributable to the effect of Government's full fees policy for overseas students and the cut in grant for home and EEC students, means that the present level of home and EEC student numbers cannot

student numbers of about 5 per cent by 1983-84 or 1984-85 over 1979-80 levels had therefore been assumed, the committee says. However, because there are some 9,000 more students in universities than had been allowed for by the Government, the actual drop will be 7.5 per

cent, representing 20,000 places.
The difference between the students in some universities is substantial. Stirling, for example, is to suffer a loss of only ample, is to suffer a loss of only 18 per cent according to the tar-get figures, but a 27 per cent drop from its actual present numbers. Bradford says it will have to cut its home students by 25 per cent, not the 19 per cent given by the committee.

The changes in grant level in the table are based on updated estimates of the current year's grant (calculated by The Times) according to a formula suggested by the committee. They are rough estimates, as reach university's grant is com-promised of different elements which have to be updated in different ways to bring them to current price levels and make them comparable to the grant figures given by the committee for the next three academic years.

years.

According to The Times's calculations, the biggest propor-

tionate grant loss over the next three years will be suffered by Salford (44 per cent), Readford (33 per cent), and Asion (31 per cent).

They are all also due to loss at the same all also due to lo They are all also due to lose a large proportion of their home students.

hich are due to lose a relatively small number of students, or none at all, are also to lose a substantial amount of grant. The University of Manchester Institute of Science and Technology, for example, is to have its grant cut by 30 per cent, while its home student numbers are due to increase. Manchester Business School is to lose 24 per cent of its grant, while its home students are due to in-crease by more than 40 per cent (from a very small base).

Part, but by no means all, of those differences can be explained in relation to the proportion of overseas students at a particular institution. The loss of grant shown in the grants committees figures is attributable to the cuts in respect of both home and overseas stu-dents, but institutions will be able to recoup some of the loss due to overseas students in the form of fees.

The total loss of grant (as

The total loss of grant (as opposed to income) for all universities over the next three academic years is about 17 per cent. That is made up of a cut of about 9 per cent for home students, 2 per cent in respect of the £20m taken out of the grant to "assist in the adaptation of the system to a lower level of funding", and the remaining 6 per cent or so the remaining 6 per cent or so being the last part of the cut in respect of overseas students. The committee's recommendations for changes in the pattern of subject provision in the university system as a whole are expected to lead to a slight shift of students away from the arts

and into science and medicine, so that arts will account for 48 per cent all students, science 42 per cent and medicine 10 per cent, instead of the 1979-80 pattern of 50:41:9. London Much of the advice is extraordinarily specific.
London takes up a fifth
of the total grant for universities but is due to lose 4 per cent of its students and about 17 per cent of its grant.

The Committee recommends some rationalizing of provision in classics, history of art, drama, German, Italian, Portuguese and Spanish; maintenance of student numbers in archaeology, ancient Egyptian languages, Egyptology and Sanskrit, Dutch, Finnish, Humarian Sanskrit, Sandinarien languages garian, Scandinavian languages, social anthropology, social administration, nursing, nutrition, and the physical sciences; a decrease in numbers in the biological sciences, pharmacy, and architecture; and a slight increase in engineering and

technology.

The university, which is considering the proposals of the Swinnerton-Dyer committee on the reorganization of its nonmedical provision, did not wish to comment on the grants com-mittee's letter yesterday. The committee makes no comment out the possible closure or amalgamation of any colleges, saying that the distribution of students among the schools was

unscattled and we feel these proposals are not too bad for

Oxford: The proposals were not unexpected and the uni-versity can cope, although it will not be easy, Dr A. J. Brunel, Uxbridge, Middlesex. Dorey, the registrar, said. "Slightly worse than average", was the reaction from Professor Geoffrey Bond, the vice-principal. The university has been Cambridge: Dr Ian Nicol, secretary general, said: "We secretary general, said: "we are not as desperately unhappy as some will be; but we are not positively gruntled either." Cuts had been asked for on the arts side, including social sciences. But the university has been asked to maintain anthropology. Hungarian, ancient pology, Hungarian, ancient Egyptian languages, Egyptology

Kent: Dr David Ingram, the vice-chancellor, said his first reaction was that the cuts were not too unreasonable, given that there had to be cuts. Kent has are being cur by over 10 per cent in reality because Brunel is merginb with Shoreditch College of Education. to reconsider its drama degree course, but it is advised to increase substantially in physisciences and engineering mathematics.

How the grants are to be trimmed

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Liverpool

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1980/81 grant figures are updated to current prices; and are only

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Bristol: History of are department to close, and talks to be held with Bath university on architecture courses, with a view to cuts. Russian is to be increased. Generally, arts and social studies are to be cut but within social studies, social work to be maintained. A slight ork to be maintained. A slight are to be looked, at from the print is recommended in material point of view of the first founciences, and an increase in hysical sciences.

A spokesman said: "We did services, said: "The cuts are cut is recommended in material sciences, and an increase in

not feel we would emerge far worse than we feared." us, although we are concerned about the university system as a whole."

advised to reduce students sub-stantially in social sciences, stantially in social sciences, which probably means up to one third, or 760, he said. Russian and the postgraduate-education course will be phased out. There is also to be some reduction in hological sciences. Brunel is to maintain physical sciences, including engineering, and the grants committee has asked for an increase in mathematical sciences. Students mathematical sciences. Students

Keele, Staffordshire. The cuts are to be contained in the arts and social sciences with empha-sis on the latter. The university has more than 2,000 arts and social sciences students; more than 600 science students. Russian is likely to go. The four-year courses, on which half the students are enrolled,

Aston, Birmingham. The cuts were incomprehensible, Dr Frederick Crawford, the vice-chancellor said, because Aston had the best record in the country for graduate employment. Over three years it would lose 1,000 of its 4,500 students. The rapidity of the contraction was so great that only early retirement, mobility incentive schemes or redundancy payments could increase the turnover to reach the necessary

Essex: The grants committee seems to envisage reversal of the university's 6040 balance between arts and sciences, a spokesman said. There will be a significant decrease in the numbers of arts students (about 13 per cent); a smaller decrease in social studies students and a substantial increase, about 20 per cent, in physical and mathematical sciences.

A casualty seems likely to be biological sciences. Salford: Mr Edward Parker, pro-vice chancellor, said: We are shocked, appalled and dismayed. And we hope to be able to convince the grants committee of the error of this committee of the ror of decisions. They are only tentative, and we certainly tentative, and we certainly intend to fight them." Huil. Sir Roy Marshall, the rice-chancellor, said his reac-

tion was consternation and anger. He estimated that if the cuts went through, the university would have to shed be-tween 100 and 120 of its 500 academics. "But we plan to use every means at our disposal to get this manifest injustice corrected".
Stirling Sir Kenneth Alexander, the vice-chancellor, said

that if carried out, the cuts would severely damage the effectiveness of the university's work. Applications for places at Stirling had increased by more than a third last year, an increase greatly in excess of Manchester Institute

Science and Technology. Pro-fessor Robert Hazeldine, the vice-chancellor, said he thought that they had been treated quite fairly. Most of the grant loss was in respect of overseas students, some of which could be made up in increased fees.
Bradford. Professor John
West, vice-chancellor, described
the cuts as colossal and said
they would mean large-scale redundancies. He envisaged the loss of one in four staff, a total of 100 over three years.

The university would seek a meeting with the grants committee, he said. These curs are simply impossible to achieve in the time-scale given". The university faced a 50 per ceor reduction in science students, which meant a cut of 900 and a 10 per cept reduction in arts. a 10 per cept reduction in arts.
Cuts could not be made across
the board and there would have
to be closures. Departments
under threat included pharmacy, mathematical sciences
and medical sciences. "This last
is a particular blow as we have
been doing a great deal of
valuable cancer research, into
areas such mathematicals."

The university had been related The university had been told

to concentrate on its modern languages centre, maintain its European studies and its human (philosophy etc) studies and humanities.

#### £40,929 for attic letters Life jail for

of collecting attracted attention

appeared vesterday and were

bid to £36,000.- One lid was

missing when he sold them and

had now been replaced in

At a sale held by Sotheby's in

South Africa on Wednesday, twentieth century South African

art went through the roof. The

sale had snob appeal. With 28

lots from the collection of the late Princess Alice, Countess of

Athlone. The most expensive items were all from her collec-tion. An Anton van Wouw

bronce of a "Miner with a machine drill" sold for 70.000 rand (estimate 25.000-35.000) or

£40.912, an auction record for any South African work of art.

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

The desirability of being French dealers and collectors descended from the right ances are notoriously erratic in the tors was underlined at Phillips support they give to such sales. are notoriously erratic in the support they give to such sales. A little Louis XV bureau-plat, with mounts of particular elegance and a nicely shaped top, sold to an English resident at 190,000; it had passed through Sotheby's in 1954 at only £2,300 and Christie's had been suggesting a price of yesterday when the contents of some dusty boxes found in the artic by a collateral descendant of the first Lord Sheffield were sold for £40,929. The boxes contained an archive of letters and documents relating to the friends and hobbies of Lord Sheffield (1735-1821). been suggesting a price of between £40,000 and £60,000 Lord Rothschild, whose musings on the investment side The most expensive lot com-prised some 400 letters and

documents relating to the Ion-ian University, founded on Corfu by Frederick, Lord North, the Son of the prime minister in our columns some weeks ago, was provided with a new statistic to consider. A pair of Louis XVI ormolu-mounted ivory vases, which he sold at Christie's in 1970 for £7,350, reand an ardent philhelleric.

They were bought by a Greek shipping company in conjunc-tion with the Library Society of Corfu. Quaritch, the London dealers who often buy for the British Library, secured several important lots: at £4,000 (esti-mate £4,000 £5,000) an archive of more than 1,500 letters addressed to Lord Sheffield and a builder, earned his release of more than 1.500 terrers ing for burning down his addressed to Lord Sheffield and his wife by famous comemporaties; at £2,400 (estimate £1,500from Frederick North to his sister, Anney Lady Sheffield, and her instand, and at £1,800 (estimate £2,000) for an archive of papers relating to the North Perensey Legion of Volunteers.
At Christie's French furniture
and tapestries attracted exceptionally strong bidding; the Libyan From Our Correspondent

Hosni Farhat, aged 33, a Libyan airline clerk, was failed for life yesterday. He was found guilty, at Winchester Crown Court of four charges of attempted murder. Farhat put rat poison in a packet of dry peanuts in an attempt to kill a fellow-Libyan,

Farag Ghesuda, his English wife, Heather, and their chil-dren Karim, aged eight, and Soad, aged seven Soad, aged seven.

The family, who live in Portsmouth, had refused the orders of Colonel Muammar

Gaddafi to return to Libya by Farhat, who lived in Lyming ton House, Landport, Ports-mouth, before he returned to

live in Tripoli, was said to be strong supporter of the Libvan regime. Mr Justice Bristow told Farhat: "It is by good for-tine and the skill of the doctors that you are only here for attempted murder, and not

on a murder charge The children are the nuts but, because they tipped them out to share them, much of the poison fell off. They were dan-gerously III, but recovered. The family's Pekinese dog, which was fed some of the nuts, died.

#### Judge rebukes editors The editors of three Scottish

newspapers were admonished by a High Court judge in Glasgow yesterday for contempt of court in reports concerning the trial of 11 men accused of raising guns and ammunition on behalf of the Ulster Volunteer Force.

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The trial was halted in its third day on Wednesday when defence counsel submitted that newspaper reports concerning a witness might unfairly influ-

and Mr Bernard Vickers of the Daily Record, were summoned to appear before the trial judge; Lord Ross yesterday morning.

He ruled that although the editors had acted in good faith, contament of court had been editors had acted in good raith, contempt of court had been committed in reports of the second day of the trial.

He hoped the case would "have sounded a warning" that

The editors, Mr. Bric Mackay of The Scotsman, Mr. Arnold Kemp of The Glasgow Herald would be told again to gard newspaper reports.

# Fewer postal delays

The number of complaints to customers can be satisfied with

Council about postal delays was 721 over the past year, about one-third the number submitted the previous year.
In the same period the com-plaints about telephone bills almost doubled, to 6,408.

The figures are contained in the council's annual report, published yesterday. The report acknowledges that in the year. more mail was delivered on time and that telephone waiting lists were reduced. But it emphasizes that there is still some way to go before

during a trial the greatest care had to be taken about what

He was satisfied that the trial should proceed and the jury would be told again to disre-

the Post Cifice Users National the industries' performances. Even allowing for an inflated level of complaints during 1979, when postal performance was particularly poor, the reduction of 37 per cent in general postal complaints is regarded by the council as "acknowledgement

of the improved quality of the postal service in 1980."

The rise in the number of complaints about telephone accounts had been caused at least in the number of complaints. least in part by tariff increases, the scale of which had not been fully appreciated by subScience report

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# Evidence of sunspots 600 million years ago

By the staff of "Nature" Striking evidence has been found in Australia that the 11-year sunspot cycle has been working at least since pre-Cambrian times more than 500 million years ago: If confor understanding of the sun and the solar system.

The key to the new find-ing lies in the ancient rocks of the Elatina Formation in South Australia, Dr G. Z.

South Australia Dr G. Z. Williams, of the Brokag Hill Proprietary Company has found 1,760 clearly defined layers within rock. 30-60 metres deep, which he suggests represent annual deposition on the bottom of a huge lake during an Ice Age at the end of the pre-Cambrian era. Most of the layers are a fraction of a millimetre thick and are composed of pale sand and slightly darker sit. On average, every twelfth layer is made of a clayer material and from oxide and is much darker in colour. Other patterns seem to be

Other patterns seem to be superimposed on the basic cycle of 11 pale layers followed by a dark one. This cycles always seem to be followed by thicker ones and followed by thicker ones and the thinnest and thickest cycles seem to occur every 25-27 cycles, with significantly 12-14 cycles Mathematical analysis revealed another wealer variation occurring every 90 cvcles.

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Dr Williams suggests that the layers were formed each year from fine silt and sand carried in the summer melt waters from glaciers. The thicker layers would have been deposited during warmer summers when the volume of meltwater was particularly great. Hence the basic cycle indicates the waxing and waning of summer tempera-tures over 11-year periods. The unusual dark layer, br Williams says, was probably deposited during the coldest winters when the later

winters when the lake may have frozen. The changes over several cycles suggest changes in climate over longer time scales of about 90, 145 and 290 years. The most likely explanation for those variations, according to Dr Williams, is a sunspot cycle. Over the past 200

years, since records were kept, sunspot activity has waxed and waned in a similar way to that now revealed in the pre-Cambrian rock layers. Hence, sunspot minima have occurred every 11 years with every other minimum being lower than the previous one.

Although the periods of contemporary sunspot cycles

accord well with the cycles found in the Elatina rocks, Dr Williams' hypothesis remains controversial: Sunspot cycles today have little effect on effect have been so much greater in pre-Cambrian times?

One possibility, according to Dr Williams, is that the earth's pre-Cambrian mag-netic field might have been much less than today's, allowing a greater variety of heavier solar particles to

reach the earth.

If Dr Williams's conclusions are right, then the behaviour of the sun has not changed much for the past 600 million years. In the past few years, however, solar physicists have been increasingly concerned with the possibility that there are changes in the behaviour of the sun over periods of 100 million years or so.

It would be surprising if

the sunspot cycle, thought to be linked with instability in the outer layers of the sun, had survived intect throughout such periods of change. Source: Nature, voi 291, page 624 (25 June, 1981). © Nature-Times News Service, 1981.

#### COUNCIL IS DEFIANT **OVER CUTS**

From Ronald Faux, Edinburgh The Lothian regional council yesterday refused to reduce its budget despite a threat from Mr George Younger, Secretary of State for Scotland, to cut its rate support grant by £53m.

The Labour-controlled council

is one of seven asked by Mr Younger to submit proposals for reducing their budgets, which he described as excessive and unreasonable. Yesterday the council voted by 24 to 21 that its spending proposals were cor-rect and that it would not con-

sider any cuts.
Councillor John Crichton, convener of the council, said the Labour group was elected on a programme of social priorities. They were pleading the case nor just for Lothian, but for every local authority in Scorle every local authority in Scorland. The council has persistently

defied the government guidelines, claiming that education-transport and the social services vould all suffer and that as many as 6,000 council employees would be made redundant if they obeyed the Government. Councillor Brian Meek, leader of the Conservative group of

the council, gave a warning that

there were no soft options left.

He said the region was carrying

far too many staff and that Mr Younger was willing to negoti-ate and had invited the council to do so: Another member warned the council that it was not taking on a whim of a minister. "You are taking on a central plank of government policy with no chance of winning.

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Stress hits

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From Alan McGregor Geneva, July 2

Research in Britain, Sweden and the United States indicates that up to 25 per cent of teachers face enough stress to

In North America, the inci-

affect their health.

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teachers

great cities of New York and

It is being conducted with a

frank malevolence on both sides and receives unusual attention

nationally. There are not many such bard-fought press wars

left in a country where most

communities are now served by

newspapers under a single

Accusations and black pro-paganda fly. There are charges that paper vending machines have been saboraged and cir-culation figures falsified.

Piquancy is added by the identity of the biggest loser so far, the proud and powerful Washington Post Company. Mrs Kacharine Grabam, chairman of the board of the Post, is quoted as having called Trenton, "my Vietnam."

The more of voice used in the contest can be judged by a full page advertisement for itself

that the Trentonian printed last

week its purpose was to point out that its rival the Trenton Times was printed in the morn-ing but some readers did not get it delivered until late after-

The other side hit back. "What annoys me in all the reports about our rivalry," said Mr Rem Reider, managing editor of the Trento Times,

"is that the Trentonian is always described as a lively tabloid. It's not lively. It's a boring tabloid. This is a livelier, better written paper."

Philadelphia.

# Russia gets a brief respite from heatwave

From Michael Binyon Moscow, July 2

A fall in temperature last night brought temporary relief from the prolonged heatwave that has engulfed Russia for the past two weeks. But by the afternoon the thermometer was rising again.

Yesterday President Brezhnev told Herr Willy Brandt, the former West German Chancel-lor, on a visit here, that the heatwave, which has brought temperatures of over 90°F to much of the country, could have serious consequences for the Soviet grain harvest.

Over the weekend a trade union newspaper reported that lack of rain had affected the fodder crop in the fertile farming regions of Russia, resulting in much reduced yields of grass. This would force farmers to look cleanages for spinal feed. look elsewhere for animal feed, and could severely hamper the Soviet Union's crash programme to increase the output

of meat and milk. Meanwhile, newspapers have been trying to quell widespread and alarmist rumours that the heat is causing industrial dis-locations and uncontrollable fires and may still get worse. One paper specifically denied rumours that the temperature would soon rise to a record-breaking 40°C. A spokesman for the Sovier meteorological office said the hear, caused by a mass of hot air from central Asia, would continue for some time but would gradually

In Moscow, where the thermometer again touched 30°C today, the paper said it was not likely to be hotter than 36°C this month—though that figure itself is virtually unprecedented in the Soviet

capital.

A spokesman for the Ministry of Soft Drinks said lemonade factories had been working round the clock to satisfy the greatly increased demand. He said all holiday leave had been cancelled, labour reserves had been "mobilized", emergency production lines opened and factories were now turning out almost 20 million litres of lemonade a day—twice the

lemonade a day—twice the normal average . As Muscovites swelter in the unrelenting heat, doctors have been giving their considered opinions, on how to keep coel and what to do. The main rule, one wrote portentously, was to wear light clothes, preferably of cotton and linen. People working outside should take special care and always wear a light sunhar. The doctor also said those suffering from heart diseases should move about as little as possible and keep out

His advice appears super-fluous to the thousands who have been sitting in the Moscow parks in swimming costumes. and flocking into the Moscow river at the end of each day.

The big danger is now forest and peat fires, such as occurred and pear fires, such as occurred all round Moscow after a hot, dry summer in 1972. Soviet papers have been warning people to be careful because of the increased fire risk throughout the country. Camp fires have been forbidden and the forestry service is now beening. forestry service is now keeping a 24-hour firewatch.

Nevertheless, one paper reported a number of big fires
recently. One in Siberia caused
damage worth 9m roubles
(£6m) and wooden houses had
burnt down, Near Minsk a cow
shed caught fire and more than 80 head of cattle were burnt to

Ironically in the Caucasus serious damage has been caused not by heat but by rain. Soviet television yesterday showed extensive damage to vineyards in Azerbaijan by torrential rainfall in the past few days. Thousands of acres have been flooded irrigation canals broken and losses amount to millions of roubles.

#### BOMB DEATH

Guatemala City, July 2.—A baggage handler was killed when a bomb exploded in a suitcase at Guatemala city airport minutes before the case was to be loaded on to a Miamibound airliner. Senor Vinicio Cerezo, secretary general of the Christian Democratic Party. a leading opponent of the Army-backed government, was a passenger on the airliner.

Committee of the Red Cross have appealed to the Thai Prime Minister's Office to give sanctuary to 358 Vietnamese trapped

ruary to 358 vietnamese trapped among hostile Cambodians on the Thai border and have asked for a meering with General Prem Tinsulanonda, the Prime

Red Cross plea to Thais

over trapped Vietnamese

From Neil Kelly, Bangkok, July 2

# Ship engine order gives Britain

contract from the Japanese Navy today, starting a trend under which all big Japanese warships are likely to be equipped with British-designed engines until the turn of the century.

Providing Britain with a firm Providing Britain with a firm foothold in Japan's potentially lucrative market for defence equipment, the Japan Defence Agency announced today that Rolls-Royce and its Japanese partner. Kawasaki Heavy Industries, have won an order to supply the Navy's new generation of 4,050-ton destroyers with Olympus and Spey gas turbine engines.

"We have decided to use two Spey SMLA engines and two Olympus TM38 engines to Olympus TM38 engines to power a new guided-missile destroyer under construction. The contract has been awarded to Rolls-Royce and Kawasaki Heavy Industries in the face of fierce competition from General Electric," a spokesman for the Japan Defence Agency said.

A British Embassy spokesman here admitted that the initial order for the four engines will do little to offset Britain's fl,100m trade deficit with Japan this year. But he went on to point out that the significance of the contract lies in the fact that it has set the pattern for the future. pattern for the future.

"This means that Britain has got its foot in the door. This contract will set the trend

# foothold in Japan The latter-day bettle of literation is for the eyes and minds of 140,000 newspaper readers in this state capital of New Jersey, squeezed between the latter day bettle or literation is for the eyes and minds of 140,000 newspaper readers in this state capital of New York and

Japanese warships, such as destroyers, guided missile des-

troyers, escort vessels and cruisers, will be equipped with British-designed engines for the next 20 years," a spokesman for the British naval attaché explained.

Under Japan's medium-term defence plans the Japanese Navy is to be equipped with nine new guided-missile destroyers by 1986.

Japan's small class of 2,900-ton destroyers, known as the Hatsukuki series, is already equipped with the smaller British-designed Tyne gas tur-bine engines and Olympus

engines.

"The Japanese were looking more powerful for an engine more powerful than the Tyne. The Spey comes between the Tyne and the Olympus and has proved to be the right engine for the new type of guided-missile destroyers, his means that all future destroyers will be equipped with British engines, a spokesman for the British Embassy told me.

Rolls-Royce plants in Britain

Rolls-Royce plants in Britain will manufacture sections and parts of the engines. Other sections will be made and assembled under licence by

At present, Rolls-Royce turbofan engines are in service in Japan's T2' trainers and F1 fighters and are manufactured under licence by Ishikawajima-Harima Heavy Industries. Bitter circulation war.

# The battle of Trenton, 1981-style

**US-ISRAEL PLANE DEAL** SUSPENDED BY REAGAN

The Trenton Times

Two titles struggling for supremacy.

Be that as it may, The Times, bought by the Washington Post Company in 1974, has been steadily losing ground to its rival, owned by the small Ingersoll chain of New York. At the end of last year the Trentonian had a higher daily sale than the Times for the first time in competitive history. Both now sell a little over 65,500 a day. There are those who see in There are those who see in this a cautionary tale for large newspaper publishers moving into small-town markets hoping to obliterate the competition. People at the Trenton Times now admit that when the Washington Post took them over, in the heady aftermath of that paper's Watergate triumph.

their assumptions about what the citizens of Treaton wanted to read were much too grand-iose.

The idea was to turn the Times into the "Washington Post North", aiming for a readership of all over New Jersey with aggressive investigative features. The local circulation, it was felt, would take care of

Reporters were turned loose to look into the murky side of life in New Jersey. If reputations are anything to go by, few states can boast of being

But not only did the expected new readers not materialize, the

The Trentonian, meanwhile, was more than holding its own with solid if glamorous coverage of local affairs, meticulously reporting who went to what charity functions—the chicken-dinner circuit, as its detractors call it.

In the heat of the fight, insinuations abound Mr Larry Kramer, executive editor of the Times, suggests that the Trentonian is less than rigorous about running stories critical of its adventisers, or of business

He membioned a case where handicapped people had dem-onstrated outside a large dis-count store because new security arrangements made it

The Times gave the story prominence but the Trentonian where the store happens to advertise made less of it. "To me it was a mountain out of a molehill" said Mr Emil Slaboda, editor of the Trenton ian, "Let's say we don't take cheap shots at anybody."

Not that they mind taking shots, cheap or otherwise, at the Times. They challenged their audited circulation figures for the period ending March 1980 and that them attered. At the same time, the four top circulation people of the Times were charged with fraud.

The Trentming is a morning The Trentonian is a morning

paper. The Trenton Times has been an afternoon paper but in its leasest antempt to regain the lead is gradually shifting to a "It is a street fight and we are happy to be in it", Mr Padilla said. A far cry from

Stress is becoming a serious occupational hazard for teachers in almost all countries, according to a study prepared by the International Labour Organization, which describes it as a cause for alarm.

dence of stress among reachers in large urban schools has produced a condition described by doctors as "burnout". They compare it with battle fatigue among soldiers. The research shows that stress, in the form of exhaus-tion, frustration and nervous tension, can lead to hyperten-sion, ulcers, renal and heart disease and ir can also affect the nervous system.

The study identifies violence, oversized classes, time-table pressure, low salaries, worry about career prospects and job insecurity as the principal causes of stress.

Violence, at its worst in urban areas and overcrowded schools, is most prevelant in the United States—with up to 5 per cent of teachers victims of stracks—and in Latin America where kidnappings and assas-sinations of teachers have occurred.

Recommendations for attacking the problems will be drawn up at a meeting of teachers and be held here later this year.

# Seoul drive Asean links

From David Watts

for close

Fresh from his diplomatic coup as the first foreign head of state to visit President Reagan, President Chun Doo Hwan of South Korea is busy cementing the second pillar of the country's foreign policy; its relations with the countries of the Association of South-East Asian Nations (Asean).

He is now on the third leg of a tour of Asean countries which marks the start of a more asser-tive policy taking Seoul into a wider regional area of interest.

The importance the Koreans artach to this diplomatic offensive can be gauged by the size of the delegation accompany-ing the President of 14 senior officials and four Cabinet ministers. A senior official travel-ling with him said that Seoul's new interest in South-East Asia as an area for increased made tion constituted " a very impor tant, serious commitment".

Two-way trade between Asean and South Korea last year was valued at more than \$2,000m (£1,052m).

The Korean party has already wisted Indonesia and Malaysia. Tomorrow the President Laves for Thailand. The tour will end with the Philippines. In each country the diplomatic aim has been to persuade the Asean countries that security in North-East and South-East Asia is interdependent and to appeal to them to assist efforts to persuade North Korea to open consulate. suade North Korea to open contacts with the South.

As an interim step towards President Chun's declared aim of the reunification of the two Koreas, Seoul is also seeking support for the seating of both countries at the United Nations. This has been promised by the countries already visited. The others are likely to follow suit.

President Chun has called on President Kim II Sung of North Korea to meet him anywhere at any time for discussions. Today, President Kim rejected that offer until there was a change of government in the South.

Though the Koreans are linking security in North-East Asia with that in the Asean area, little is being said publicly about the obvious implication of any South Korean commit-ment to bely threatened Assan

# The false economy of flying Economy.



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# and Cambodian orricals to get to the Thai border. Among the refugees were large family groups and mady women and children, the Red Cross said. They were in jeopardy while surrounded by nearly 100,000 hostile Cambo-dians.

dians.
The Red Cross bad an international mandate, to which Thailand was a party, to protect the lives of the 358 refugees, an official said.

American authorities have promised to treat the Vietnamese group as an emergency so as lem."

Delegates of the International to speed up procedures for their quick admission to the United States, but the Thais have de-clined to accept these assur-ances. Foreign diplomats be-lieve Thailand has hardened its attitude for domestic reasons and as a forerunner to the coming United Nations confer-

ence on Cambodia.

They view a refugee health scare as part of the same campaign. That officials announced vesterday that 17 cases of schis-tosomiasis, a disease transmitted by snails, has been diagnosed among refugees at a holding

Minister.

Red Cross appeals during the past six weeks have been rejected by security and military thiefs, who said the safety of the Vietnamese was not Thailand's responsibility. One official said Thailand would resist all pressure to admit the Vietnamese, who had left their homeland at their own risk and who had bribed Vietnamese and Cambodian officials to get to the Thai border. among refugees at a holding centre near the Cambodian border. They said the disease was contagious and could be fatal. Their claim that the disease posed a potential public health problem for Thailand was disputed by Dr A. G. Rangaraj, Health Coordinator for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees. He said the disease could be quickly isolated and easily treated.

lated and easily treated.

The disease can spread where there is poor sanitation and where the small host is present, but at refugee camps and in Western nations those conditions are not likely. The snail exists in Thailand but the disease has never been a prob-

# US and Peking 'want return' to the cold war

the Soviet block economic the present economic inter-organization, began a three-day national situation there would annual meeting in Sofia today be no increases in living with Poland obviously a pre- standards. with Poland obviously a pre-occupying topic but other economic problems connected with closer integration high on the agenda.

Mr Nikolai Tikhonov, the Soviet Prime Minister, is heading the Soviet delegation. The Polish delegation led by General Wojciech Jaruzelski, the Prime Minister, includes Mr Tadeusz Grabski, a hardline Politburo member who, until recently, was in charge of economic affairs in the Central Committee. Committee.

The meeting was addressed by Mr Grisha Filipov the new Bulgarian Prime Minister. He said that it was held in a difficult international situation in which the "aggressive forces" of the United States with the help of "Peking's hegemonism" were attempting to bring the world back to the cold war era.

In contrast, he said, the socialist countries were striving for détente. He singled out President Brezhnev as the "most ardent champion of

The meeting is expected to attempt to bring about a closer coordination of economic plans as well as take some initiative over Poland's pressing economic year for five years. But, all yet, no clear indication that something more tangible may emerge in the way of joint Comecon assistance to Poland.

Mr Gyorgy Latar, the Hun-earian Prime Minister, called for greater efficiency in Come-con work, and loss bureaucracy as well as for agreement on a programme to assist all member-

The prime ministers of 10 that the growth rate in Hungary member-states of Comecon, was slowing down and that in the Soviet block economic the present economic inter-

> He urged the Comecon countries to use their energy and ationally and to cooperate more

difficulties.

Poland's inability to keep up agreed deliveries has already which depend heavily on the import of Polish coal and other materials. This has also aggravated the problems of assisting the poorer members, Cuba, Mongolia and Vietnam.

Last year's Comecon meeting failed to reach agreement on a number of problems especially those related to energy and raw

The Soviet Union is the main supplier of oil and raw materials to Comecon members. It pledged to maintain oil delive-ries to member-countries at a rate of 80 million tonnes a member-countries need to go beyond that and already during last year's session in Prague the Soviet Union made it clear that this is the limit unless its East European allies invest in oil extraction and mining within the Soviet Union.

Another sensitive problem is that of price and quality. Russia's allies are paying about half the world market price for

# Diego Garcia rejects cash offer by Britain

By Denis Taylor

Four days of talks on extra compensation for the islanders displaced from Diego Garcia and other parts of the Chagon Archipelago to Mauritius ended without agreement in London

last night.
The Foreign Office said in a statement that it regretted that it had not been possible to reach agreement on this occasion. The talks, which were said to have been adjourned, would be continued with the Government of Mauritius through diplomatic channels. Mr Ragkeswur Purryag, the Mauritius Minister of Social Security, told The Times: "We

feel there has been a total failure of the talks".

British Government reaffirmed its offer of £1,250,000, and a further £300,000 in aid, toachieve a final settlement.

Negotiations on compensa-tion to evacuees from Diego Garcia and other islands of the Chagos Archipelago began 10 years ago. The issues have become much wider than that of cash. Government and opposition politicians in Port Louis, the Mauritius capital, are calling for the return of the islands, which were admin-istered as a dependency of Mauritius until 1965.

The United States has a defence facility on Diego Garcia. This demand is linked with calls for the demilitarization of the Indian Ocean.

# Poles told they face economic catastrophe

Warsaw, July 2- As Poland frepared for a visit by Mr Andrei. Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, the Polish Seim (Parliament) heard today that the country was facing cutastrophe unless there was an freque economic reform.

It was not clear when Mr Gromyko, whose visit was

It was not clear when Misconyko, whose visit was amounced several days ago, would come. Official sources have been saying it would probably be on Friday atternoon. He is expected to report back to Moscow on developments bere over the past few weeks, which saw many new people elected for the coming Community Party congress.

elected for the coming Communist Party congress.

In the Seim Mr Zbignew Madel, a Deguty Prime Minister, spelt out how bad the economic situation is.

Industrial production in January was down 10 per cent on last year, and in May it dropped 18 per cent. If this continued national income would drop by 15 per cent this year. Mr Madej said the country would need between three and five years to recover from the crisis. The reduction of its \$26,000m (about £13,000m) foreign debt would not start until the next five-year plan, until the next five-year plan, beginning in 1986.

The seriousness of the situa-tion was underlined by the Polish news agency PAP, which said today that recent predictions that the crisis had bortomed out had proved wrong. "Empty shelves in the shops, coupons for which there are no goods and a shortage of cigarettes and petrol are new phenomena which emerged at the end of the first half of the

year." The Polish National Bank was quoted as saying there was a buge imbalance between wages and the supply of goods. While the total wage bill had risen 25 per cent in the first risen 25 per cent in the first six months over the same period last year, employment had grown only 0.3 per cent, industrial production fell 12 per cent and labour productivity also dropped.

Mr Gromyko's visit is being seen in a generally optimistic light in Warsaw. Western diplomats said foreign pelicy was one area where Poland had no quarrels with Moscow. The visit was described as brief.

no quarrels with Moscow. The visit was described as brief, and friendly and the fact that it. was announced well in advance suggested it would be Although Moscow has expressed concern that so many of the eld guard were swept away in elections, the most democratic under Communisticale, the fact that most of the rule, the fact that most of the leaders were returned is likely to reassure the Kremlin, diplo-mats said.—Reuter.

Trial re-opens: Mr Leszek Moczulski, the main defendant in the trial of four dissidents. in the trail of Aour dissidents.

pleaded not gultry to charges of
working to overthrow the state
and cut Poland's links with
Moscow (UPI reports from
Moscow). The trial, Poland's
first main political one since
the labour unrest began last

delegation from Mauritius, welcomed the offer to continue discussions through diplomatic
channels.

Mauritius had asked for £8m compensation in addition to the

£550,000 agreed in 1973. The

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'It fits! It fits!'

# Deng gives China smiling face

From David Bonaviz, Peking, July 2

Huge black limousines with curtained windows have been racing around Peking streets for the past few days, marking the most important political event since the death of Mao Tse-tung in 1976, and-some foreign observers believe-

foreign observers believesince the communist victory in 1949.

Mr Hwa Guofeng Mao's choice as Chairman of the Communist Party, has been humiliatingly demoted and power at the top level is now more fixely, than ever in the hands of Mr Deng Kiaoping, the leading Deputy Chairman, whose policies are bringing China into an ever closer rela-China into an ever closer rela-tionship with the Western

world.
The new party Chairman, Mr Hu Yaobang, is a close collaborator of Mr Deng, as is Mr Zhao Ziyang, the Prime Minister, and now 2 Deputy Chairman. Economic planning.

undergoing an amazing trans-

IN BRIEF.

Sindbad docks

Hongkong.—Tim Severin of Britain, sailing by Arab dhow from Oman to China, following the route of the legendary Sindbad the Sailor, reached journey's end a week ahead of

The 1,600-mile last leg from Singapore to the mouth of the Pearl river took only 18 days. The dhow, its planks held to-

gether by coconut fibre, anchored until a tug from the China-Ocean-Shipping Agency-arrived to guide it up river to Huangpu port in the southern China city of Canton. His 6,000-mile-trip-began-on-November-22

Pretoria.-Mr James Gilli-

land, South Africa's Deputy Director General of Health, devied a London report that

a controversial birth control

drug, depo provera, was being

is was reported that the Cabinet

had decided to phase out use of the drug for safety reasons.

Karlsruhe.— The West German Supreme Court rejected the appeal of Kurt Lischka, the former Gestapo chief of Nazi-

occupied France, serving a 10-

year sentence for mastermind-ing the wartime murders of 73,000 French jews.

Sentences upheld

Birth pill denial

a week early

time for nearly a quarter of mankind to put up with the violent policy changes and opformation, unthinkable only five years ago. Pretty girls stroll the streets in nylon stockings with slim and sometimes daring skirts. Young people are opening private businesses. Peasants are encouraged to pursue somepressive methods of indoctrination used by Mao's followers. But the Chinese people have ou the whole managed to retain the underlying cheerfulness thing close to private farming.
Consumer goods and foodstuffs are becoming more
plentiful though also more expensive. And Western cultural which is their greatest asset regard for leaders politicians in general.

This natural robustness of Chinese society is showing itself not only in new fashions, but also in new literature films, paintings, operas and

pensive. And Western cultural influences, despite dire warnings, from some political hardliners, are spreading from Shakespeare to Coca-Cola.

This transformation is the result of five years' hard work and tough political infighting by Mr Deng It is unlikely that anyone else could have carried it off. And as long as he remains fit and vigorous, Mr Deng may hope to see his own version of the new China developed and continued by Mao's rule was shorter than that of many tyrannical reg-imes in Chinese history. The party has been careful to give him credit for his adaptation of Marxism-Leninism to Chinese conditions which assured the success of the revolution before Mao's paranois came to developed and continued by the team of collaborators he has built up around himself. dominate him completely.

agriculture are completely con-remain at the helm until 1985, to a fate similar to that of trolled by Mr Deng's support when, he has said in the past, he Stalin, though the present ters. Only in the armed forces would like to retire, though leadership professes to admire are there still lingering curperhaps keep up some advisory. Stalin and abominates Khrushrents of opposition to some of role in the party and Govern- they who denounced him. The nation is told to value the on the political halo which the on are not young-mostly in memory of a man, safely dead, military have traditionally their sixties but that is not who saw the revolution through worn. considered old for a political its crucial stages—but to learn. The China of the 1980s is leader in China. also from his blunders and Twenty years, was a long needless ruthlessness.

Man in the news

# New Yorker who sold Begin to the Israelis

From Out Own Correspondent, Jerusalem, July 2

The man responsible for sell-ing the image of Mc Menachem Begia, the Prime Minister, dur-ling the recent election campaign was Mr David Garth, a gregarious New York Jew, whose consultancy firm was bired by the right-wing Likud four

months ago.

Before advising Mr Begin, Mr
Carth, aged 51, had worked
behind the scenes for personabries such as Mr. Ed. Koch, the Mayor of New York, President Heretre of Venezuela ead Mr John Anderson, the insuccessful third candidate in the last American presidential elections.

In the clasing stages of the Israeli campaign, Mr Garth had daily meetings with Mr Begin and developed a strategy from a comprehensive series of 17 polls prepared by two Harvard graduates who were members of the staff be had based in Jersualem's King David Hotel.

Among other findings, the polls showed that Mr Begin was three times more trusted by the Israelis on issues of national defence and security than his Labour rival Mr Shimon Peres who used the services of Mr. David Sawyer, another American consultant.

"Our private polls quickly pinpointed how incorrect are some international opinions about Israeli attitudes," Mr Garth said today before flying back to New York to advise Mr Koch on how to win re-election. "h is often assumed that Mr Bégin représents a minority, but his hawkishness is quite in tune with the national feeling."

'The private polls were assessed in detail by Mr. Garth and his young partner Mr Zeev Furst. It was found that on the economic question. Mr Begin lagged behind until the last days, while on personal popuarity he always remained way anead of Mr Peres.

The findings indicated that if the Labour Party had been led by Mr Yitzhak Rabin, the former Prime Minister, it would probably have won.



were largely responsible for the growing confidence of Mr Begin and his relentless concentration

ened the Likud was that of cam-paign violence. Mr Garth said. "The worst damage to Mr Begin was done by an Israeli television film on the violence which at one point intercut pio-tures of Likud supporters with

This finding is the reason why senior Likud figures have been hinting that sweeping changes in the running of Israeli tele-vision can be expected if the coalition returns to power. Labour's concentration on

the issues of violence in a series of dramatic television commercials was made on the advice of Mr Sawyer, who previously worked for Senator Edward Kennedy in a number of his Senate election battles.

feel he could work successfully with Mr Peres. The Likud approached him

# Court allows transfer of Iranian assets

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington, July 2

American

The unanimous ruling clears the way for the transfer of between \$3,000m and \$4,000m (£1,500m-£2,000m) Iranian assets by the July 19 deadline agreed between America and Iran at the time of the hostages' release.

The court ruled that Mr Carter had the power to pre-vent American companies from pursuing claims against Iran in United States courts so that Iran's assets could be returned. These claims will now be settled by an international tribunal.

In an opinion by Mr Justice William Rehnquist, the court based its ruling on the power of the President to settle claims American citizens against foreign governments. It noted that President Carter had acted fully within his authority under the 1977 International

gency Powers Act. Congress had implicitly approved the President's actions. We conclude the President had the authority."

The United States Supreme
Court today upheld the right spokesman just over \$2,000m of former President Carter to transfer Iranian assets in exchange for the release of 52
American hostages last hostages last interest since they were froten An additional \$1,000m b \$2,000m is in the form of property owned by Iranians, aircraft and non-monetary B. C.

The bank deposit will be transferred to the Federal Reserve Bank during the nen two weeks before being dispatched to Iran.

In order to secure the release In order to secure the release of the American hostages who were held in Iran for 444 days. President Carter agreed in nullify about 450 private suits for claims against Iran, Many of the companies with claims of the companies with claims. of the companies who cause against Iran challenged the agreement, arguin that the President did not have the power to prevent them from suin in American courts. Under last January's agree-

ment, Iran undertook to set aside \$1,000m when its asses were returned to pay off any American claims the interdent to regulate or prevent any transfer with respect to foreign property when he has declared a national emergency. In our view." Mr Rehnquist said, the President had the authority under the International Emergency Powers Act. Congress had lent's acrieval approved the Transfer to the International Emergency Powers Act. Congress had lent's acrieval to the Transfer to the Transfer to the International tributal may award.

In Iran executions: The ruling Islamic revolutionaries today executed 17 radicals in Iran and announced the arrests of Tourisms Technique (UPI reports).

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# Setback to holiday hopes of French deputies

From Ian Murray, Paris, July 2

The new French Parliament usual traditions, M Louis Mer-

Normally deputies at this time of year are preparing for a long holiday. This year, however, they will have much less time for acquiring a suntan as the Socialist Government begins introducing the legisla-tion for its reform programme.

The real business of the session is due to be announced on Wednesday next week after the means to courtol govern-the Cabiner meeting and will ment action and to develop probably be outlined in a methods of investigation which message from President Mitter- it could use. This was a job rand which is to be read to the which, he said, would involve rand which is to be read to the National Assembly that day by

met for the first time today at maz, the Socialist deputy for the start of what promises to be an unusually busy if short President of the National Assembly.

The National Assembly will however, have to work hard to keep to its timetable and M Mermaz, in his presidential address, made it clear that the Socialists intended Parliament to play a much fuller role than in the past.

It would be necessary, be said, for Parliament to be given everyone in the assembly, with the Prime Minister.

The opening of this seventh playing its part—"which was Parliament of the Fifth Republic was given over 10 the parliaments".

# Money blow Grisly mass to Moscow murder in

From Our Own Correspondent Moscow, July 2

There is only one subject of conversation for the large com-munity of foreign journalists in Moscow at the moment; cou-pons. Without warning the Soviet authorities have suddenly refused to give journalists the convertible currency cou-pons needed to buy daily sup-plies in the one shop providing a reasonable range meat and imported drinks.

"You can forget Afghanistan, Poland, arms control talks, This is serious," a senior correspon-dent said. He, like others, only learnt of the change when the Benk for Foreign Trade yesterday refused to hand over the little pink books of what looks like monopoly money.

There is one small food shop for tourists with a meagre selec-tion of groceries at about double the price. This accepts only foreign currency, but Soviet law forbids resident foreigners from drawing hard curthey are leaving the country. It have to buy their cigarettes with credit cards or travellers'

The reaction has naturally been one of outrage. Councils of war have been drawn up. It is all very well to write about the increasingly poor selection of food and point out how much time Russians waste standing in queues, but it is less amusing to find yourself in the same boat. The Russians have been try-ing to get rid of the coupon system for years, because these valuable little passports to

Western-style living le-nominated in roubles, have been finding their way into

# press corps | Hollywood

Los Angeles, July 2,-Four people were battered to death III a grisi

expensive Hollywood Hills area, while neighbours ignored screams for help. A fifth victim at the scene, a 25-year-old woman, lay with neck and head wounds for 12

hours before a neighbour finally called the police late vesterday. The house is in the wooded

Laurel Canyon area, where country-style homes cost around \$1m (£500,000). The home is only a short distance from where Sharon Tate and four others were murdered by menbers of Charles Manson's hippie gang in 1969. Police said there was so much blood in the house they would not even speculate on how the victims died.

A neighbour said he heard a man screaming, but added that loud parties and stereos were often heard in that area.

It was 12 hours later before antoher neighbour noticed the front door of the house was open and went in. A body of a man was found in a downstairs bedroom of the three-storey house, a woman's body was in the living room and the bodies of a man and a woman were in an upstairs bedroom.

Police said they would discard any possibility regarding drugs, robbery or anything else in establishing a motive. The injured woman under

went a four-hour operation and was said by a hospital spokesman today to be in a critical condition. Part of one of the women's fingers had been cut off, the spokesman said, as if she bad tried to stop an axe blow.

A man taken from the murder Soviet pockets.

Twenty years ago "diplomatic" groceries did not exist.

A corner of the Gumstore was cordoned off for foreigners.

# Hunger striker's daughter on American television

From Michael Leapman, New York, July 2 Bernadette McDonnell, the had been reported in the press

near Belfast, was interviewed on American television yesterday morning. She urged Americans to write to President Reagan to put pressure on Mrs Thatcher to solve the Irish question. "Margaret Thatcher will have to do something," she said. Her remark came at the end of the interview and was the only controversial statement she made. She and an 11-yearold Ulster Protestant, Keith

Dixon, talked mostly about what it is like to be a child today in Northern Ireland. They are among 160 children from the province visiting America for six weeks under a scheme organized by the Gaelic Society in Greenwood Lake, New Jersey. After their arrival

11-year-old daughter of a hunger striker at the Maze prison near Belfast, was interviewed programme of the American Broadcasting Company, decided to interview two of them.

Miss McDonnell was chosen because she was a hunger

striker's daughter, according to Mr John Goodman, associace producer of the programme Viewers were informed of this halfway through the programme when she said that the man she most admired in the world was her father. "It was not a political inter

view," Mr Goodman said. It was just a slice of life in Northern Ireland for the American people. By talking to the kids we tried to explain to an American audience what it is like to grow up in that environ-ment."



A woman and her two children, shot by Ugandan soldiers, mourned by relatives at the Ombachi mission. The photograph was taken by Mr Lars Astrom, a Swedish Red

# Uganda Army blamed for massacre

Kampala, July 2.—Evewitnesses have confirmed that a
small band of Ugandan soldiers
guerrilla groups trying to overran through a Roman Catholic north-western Uganda 10 days ago and mas-sacred 60 unarmed civilians.

Government sources said today that statements made by eyewitnesses in the course of a police inquiry, which is still under way, blamed a group of soldiers led by a lieutenant for soldiers led by a lieutenant for Gala and five other wounded to the mission hours before the massacre. Major soldiers led by a lieutenant for Gala and five other wounded. the killing of the civilians and the wounding of 40 others. The massacre took place at

the Ombachi mission run by the Verona Fathers in the West Nile district of the country. Several thousand refugees had sought shelter at the mission, which had been declared a Red Cross protected area, to escape fighting between Ugandan troops and guerrillas from the

Northern Regiment. The Northern Regiment, in-cluding some remnants of the throw the Government of Pre-sident Milton Obote.

Government sources quoted the witnesses as saying that the notorious Major Gala, accused of raping nuns during Amin's rule, was being treated for wounds at the mission hours before the massacre. Major guerrillas were taken from the guerrillas were taken from the mission by comrades from the Northern Regiment on the morbing of the massacre.

In Stockholm, Mr Lars Astrom, the Red Cross' East Africa delegate, told a press conference today how Ugandan solders raided the Cubachi mission.

He said at least 22 people were killed, most of them young girls, when the soldiers opened fire on a storage room in which

"I saw one woman with a three-month-old baby with the head blown off in her arms" he said. "I was told a soldie accused her of being a spy-and therefore her child was killed."

Mr Astrom said the trouble started; when "uncontrollable' elements from the Ugandan Army" plundered the city of Arua and many people fled to the Ombuchi mission outside

the city. Meanwhile, the Kampala newspaper Munansi today accused the Ugandan Government of violating human rights through illegal detentions and the terture of opposition party

members.
"Many of these detainee have not seen light for six months. And for some, even their relatives have no way of knowing whether they are still alive" the newspaper said.—
AP and Agence France-Presse.

Four months captive Milan.—Kidnappers freed Signorina Tullia Kauten, aged 43, after holding her captive and chained to a bed since

March 5. Her family paid a first cansom instalment of 441m lire (£190,000) on May 19 and an other large sum on Monday. Briton appointed Brussels. Mr John Steele Deputy Secretary at the Department of Industry, has been ap-pointed director-general of the European Commission's trans-

port department. Secrets for sale

The Hague.—Dick Grifficen, aged 29, a civilian employee of the Dutch Defence Ministry was sentenced to two years in prison for trying to sell state secrets | The Likud polls were taken was prepared to discuss his to the Soviet Embassy to pay every second day for the last role in the country's most conoff his casino gambling debts. 34 days of the campaign and troversial campaign.

David Garth: Next job is to package a mayor.

on issues of national security.

They showed that the televised debate between Mr Begin and Mr Peres was scored as a dead hear by the public. "The one issue that threat-

those at Hitler's rallies".

Mr Garth was first ap-proached by the Israeli Labour Party two years ago but did not

when its fortunes were at their nadir with the opinion polls giving them only 20 seats. The fact that they won 49 explained the pride with which Mr Garth

puries

# Blacks prepare to fight Reagan's welfare cuts

American blacks ere starting of mobilize to oppose the leagan Administration's plans of cut hundreds of social and welfare programmes. The planted cuts, which are at the centre of President Reagan's conomic recovery programme, are expected to be most everely felt by blacks and other minority groups.

Prom Nicholas Asmord, Washington, July 2

comments by NAACP leaders sponsible for pulling blacks out of slavery, integrating the armed forces, opening voting booths and lunchroom counters wavelengths. Unless the content wavelengths. Unless content wavelengths. Unless the content wavelengths to tune into black grievances he could find himself facing an upsurge of black unrest once his Budget cuts begin to take of slavery, integrating the armed forces, opening voting the armed forces, op to mobilize to oppose the Reagan Administration's plans to cut hundreds of social and welfare programmes. The welfare programmes. The planned cuts, which are at the centre of President Reagan's economic recovery programme, are expected to be most severely felt, by blacks and

other minority groups.

This week, Mr Benjamin Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Coloured People (NAACP), the country's largest and most influential civil rights organization, called on blacks to take part in a mass demonstration. in a mass demonstration against the budget cuts in Washington on September 19. The demonstration is being planned in coordination with the American Federation of Labour and Congress of Indus-trial Organizations (AFL-CIO).

Mrs Coretta King, widow of the Rev Martin Luther King, the civil rights leader, also called for "massive and mili-tant non-violent action" to oppose the cuts. "If we fail", she rold the angual convention of the NAACP in Denver yesterday, "we face stagnation at best and gradual destruction of all our civil rights at worst."

The calls for blacks to unite against the Government's proagainst the Government's pro-gramme came days after Presi-dent Reagan had addressed the association in Denver during which he urged a "continuing dialogue" between his Adminis-tration and America's 30 million blacks.

However, the perfunctory applause which greeted his speech and the subsequent

effect.
Some blacks wrote President Reagan off as a racist a long time ago, but this is unfair. President Reagan asserted in his Denver speech that previous his Deriver speech that previous government programmes to improve the lives of blacks had failed. He urged them to put their fatth in his Administration's economic recovery programme which, he maintained, would curb inflation and create new jobs, thereby benefiting the large numbers of blacks who live on or below the poverty line.

poverty line.

Blacks, the President asserted, Blacks, the President asserted, had become victims of a new kind of "bondage" resulting from over-dependence on Government programmes. "Just as the emancipation proclamation freed black people 118 years ago, today we need to declare an economic emancipation", he enterprise", he said.

His audience was not impressed by these words. For

His audience was not impressed by these words. For, while NAACP leaders would be the first to admit the many failures of the various programmes designed to assist blacks, they are also aware that until now their only reliable source of help has been the Federal Government.

As Mr William Raspberry, a prominent black commentator.

prominent black commentator, pointed out this week, it was the Government which was re-

Fight to deport war Piggott can criminal' is renewed From Ivor Davis Los Angeles, July 2

is hardly a black American who doubts that they would not have been done at all without the Governmental work horse that the Reagan Administration now proposes to put back in the stable in favour of that 'fresh, powerful workhorse' called free enterprise," he said.

What blacks now fear is that the crutch provided by previous Administrations will be pulled from beneath them without anything to replace it. For them, Mr Reagan's economic programme does not signal

Los Angeles, July 2

The latest action in a 30-year battle to deport a California man, who is accused by the Justice Department of ordering the executions of 770,000 Serbs and Jews in Yugoslavia in the Second World War, is being played out this week.

The Board of Immigration Appeals yesterday ordered the deportation of Mr Andrija Artukovic who is 31. His lawyer said there will be an appeal against this newest order.

The Justice Department Office of Special Investigation in Washington said it was preparing a letter ordering Mr Artukovic to report to the Immigration and Naturalization Service on Wednesday to receive deportation instructions.

Mr Allam Ryan, head of the Special Investigations of the Special Investigations Office, said Mr Artukovic would be the first alleged Nazi criminal everto be deported from the United to be deported from the United

to be deported from the United States.

The only war criminal ever extradited was Mrs Hermine Braunsteiner Ryan, charged in West Germany with involvement in mass murders at camps in Poland. Mrs Ryan, aged 61, was sentenced to life in prison by a Ronn court earlier this by a Bonn court earlier this

week.
Mr. Artukovic entered America in 1948 under a false name from the American Embassy in Ireland. In 1951 Yugoslaviä tried to extradite him for alleged war crimes, claiming that while he held a top post. In the Nazi puppet regime in Crotia from 1941 to 1945 he authorized the execution 750,000 Serbs and 20,000 Jews.

# make it a Hongkong double

By Michael Phillips Racing Correspondent

Racing Correspondent

Queen Elizabeth the Queen
Mother has given permission for
the Royal Hongkong Jeckey Club
to stage an annual race to be
known as the Queen Mother's Cup.
The first running will be at Sandown Park this afternoon: after
that it will be staged each year in
Hongkong. To commemorate its
inauguration the Royal Hongkong
Jockey Club have donated £100,000.
Of this £10,000 has been allocated
as the added prize money for today's feature race; the balance to
charities of the Queen Mother's
choice.

The Challenge Trophy was dis-

charities of the Queen Mother's choice.

The Challenge Trophy was discovered recently in a silver vault in London by Mr Justice Simon Li, and then acquired by the Royal Hongkong Jockey Club. It dates from 1856 when Queen Victoria presented it to the owner of Fisherman, who had just won the Ascot Gold Vase. Today the same trophy may well be presented to Lord Derby, thanks to Galveston, who won the Sandown Cnp overtoday's course and distance at the end of April. Before that Galveston had run away with the Rosebery Stakes at Kempton Park. His last race was the Group III Grosser Preis von Dortmund in Germany where he was runner-up to Strong where he was runner up to Strong Gale. It is perfectly possible to argue

that both Baronet and One Fleet Street have a good chance of beating Galveston if one takes their races at Kempton and Doncaster into account, but with Lester Piggott in the saddle, Galveston is just preferred.

gott in the saddle, Galveston is just preferred.

Sass [4.45] could be another winner for Piggott in Kowloon Maiden Stakes at the end of the day. Having finished third in the Kingsclere Stakes at Newbury, last month, Rockfest is obviously the form horse in the field for the Sha Tin Maiden Fillies Stakes.

However, in this instance I am tempted to take a chance with the newcomer, Last Feather, even though she lacks experience. Her trainer Barry Hills does not conceal his liking for this filly, who certainly sports a peerless pedigree. By the Arc winner, Vaguely Noble, Last Feather is the last foal

Beverley programme

6.45 EAST GATE SELLING HANDICAP (3-y-o:

HORNSEA FILLIES STAKES (2-y-o:

8.5 BAINTON MAIDEN STAKES (3-y-o : £1,090 :

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2.30 SHA TIN STAKES (2-y-o : Maiden fillies :

Galveston: in winning mood at Kempton and looking hopeful today at Sandown out of Quill, who was the best two-year-old filly in the United States in 1953. Quill's first foal, appropriately called First Feather let the sire of Ardross.

Besides First Feather, Quill has also bred Cancasus, who won the Irish St Leger and more than \$400,000 in California; Riboquili, a good horse in France, and One for All, who is now making a name for himself as a stallion. Against that backcloth I am not surprised to learn that Last Feather's owner Dr Morgan L. Brosman has recently turned down a colossal offer for his beautifully bred filly.

Mumruffin, who won her first race at Sandown last month and her second at Lingfield Park only last Friday, shoud give John Reid another winning ride in the Year of the Cockerel Stakes. Afterwards Reid will hasten north to Beverley, where he has a sound chance of winning the Horasea Fillies Stakes as well on Northern Scene, a stable companion of Mumruffin.

Walter Switchurg dust hack

Walter Swinburn, just back from the suspension which cost him the winning ride on Shergar in the Irish Derby last Saturday,

Beverley selections

By Our Racing Correspondent 6.45 Goldfiner Abbey. 7.10 Northern Scene. 7.35 Montclair. 8.5 Gazaan. 8.35 Dragon Fire, 9.5 Gifford.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 6.45 Kairouan. 7.10 Stariust. 8.5 Gazzan. 8.35 Dragon Fire.

4.10 HAPPY VALLEY HANDICAP (£4.492: 5F)

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.4.45 KOWLOON STAKES (Maidens: £2,876)

Epsem (mp (O), L Holt, 8-10-0 ... Reid Grews HIII (b), P Durr, 5-9-12 Robinson Durandal (CD), D Marke, 4-9-6 Batter, Marking Time (D), B Hambery, 5-8-4 Crossier 5

d at Kempton and looking ho is another who will be at two meetings today. He can win the Winwick Maiden Filles Stakes at Haydock Park on Valois before travelling across the Pennines to partner Monclair (7.35) and Gazaan (8.65), also for Michael Stoute at Beverley.
Valois is a beautifully bred filly by Lyphard out of the dam of another successful stalkion, the 1972 2,000 Guineas winner, High Tip. Velois ran well enough in her first and only race so far to suggest that a race such as the one that confronts her now, should be well within her grasp. Sadly, the Cock of the North Stakes which is the main race at Haydock today, has attracted a poor turnout, not for the first time. A field of only three is all the more disappointing after as many as 22 had stood there ground at the four day declaration stage.

First prize should be won by Norwick whose rider, Paul Cook can also profit by travelling on to Beverley where he should win the Jackson's Club Sweepstakes on Dragon Fire, who ran so promisingly in her last race at Great Yarmouth.

Shaun Salmon was taken to the Royal Sussey Hospital yesterday broken nose and an injured snounder, after Setta Sprant "propped" at a path during the Raggetts Selling Stakes at Brighton, throwing the jockey. Garnish Island collided with the rails on the way to the start, and had to be withdrawn, and the contest ended with a shock as the 33-1 outsider, BHa Shaka, finished too fast for the forumrite. Venia.

Caledonian's next

Caledonian, successful in his last three races at Thirsk, Beverley and Stockton, tries for a fourth win in the Le Garcon D'or Handicap at Edinburgh on Monday. The five-year-old sprinter, trained near Thirsk by Jack Calvert, will again be partnered by the apprentice, Bryan Jones, who has been involved in all of Caledonian's recent triumphs.

Shaum Salmon was taken to the

# France and Spain meet on Basques

From Ian Murray Paris, July 2

change visits by their Interior and Justice Ministers later this month in an attempt to resolve the dispute between the two countries over whether wanted Basque militants should be extradited from France.

This was agreed during today's visit to France by Señor Leopoldo Calvo Sotelo, the Spanish Prime Minister. He came in response to an invita-tion from President Françosis Mitterrand after a visit to Spain last month by M Claude Chey-sson, the French Minister for External Relations.

The Basque question was the most difficult of the two main subjects discussed during today's visit, the other being Spanish entry to the EEC. Both are subjects on which Spain has felt France has previously been less than helpful. M. Cheysson, during his visit to Spain last month, discovered this at first hand when he was jeered on his way from Madrid airport. airport.

That first visit served to cool tempers and today's seems to have further helped. However, the two points are still far from settled. Senor Clavo Sotelo once again pressed the Spanish case that 12 Besques held in prison in France should be extradited.

M Pierre Mauroy, the French Prime Minister, again put the Socialist Government's view that although everything would be done to fight terrorism, France must nevertheless "re-main a land of sanctuary".

He was able to tell the Spanish Prime Minister that no final decision about the extradition had been taken, and that this is unlikely before the exchange visits of the ministers.

M Gaston Deferre, Minister of the Interior, will travel to Madrid to meet his Spanish counterpart, while M Robert Badinter, the Minister of Justice, will meet the Spanish Minister of Justice in Paris.

After this morning's meeting M Mauroy said that France's vocation was to be a land of sanctuary and that this did not simply involve Spain. "France must remain faithful to herself and this demand must come before all others," he

He also offered support for "the long march towards democracy of the Spanish people, which is also a bit the business of all the French people."

Senor Calvo Sotelo later visited the Edysée to meet President Mitterrand and M Cheysson over lunch.

Again the main subject dis-Again the main subject dis-cussed was the Basque prob-lem and M Cheysson said afterwards: "We have the same determination to fight against terrorism but we French have a fundamental position, which is the respect for the great principle of asylum accorded to political refugees."

, Anisir The subject of Spanish entry to the EEC was also raised although more briefly. M Cheysson said that there were a number of problems within the Community at present and this meant that a number of reforms would have to be car-ried out before Spanish entry could be allowed if there were not to be more problems.

Madrid: Before Señor Leo-poldo Calvo Sotelo, the Spanish Prime Minister, flew to Paris yesterday, Señor Francisco Fernandez Ordonez, the Justice Minister, gave a warning that France's proposed new amnesty law must not apply to Spanish terrorists sheltering in France

(Richard Wigg writes). "However wide the amnesty may be, I doubt that it can apply to those wanted for crimes committed outside France", he



gramme does not signal renewed prosperity so much as a million people losing their food stamps, billions lost in welfare assistance and thousands of youngsters seeing their deeper of their d

thousands of youngsters seeing their dreams of a college education lost because they can no longer obtain a Government subsidized loan. The first hig battle between blacks and the Administration is likely to be over the Voting Rights Act of 1965 which the Reagan Administration is now scrutinizing. Blacks fear that imperfect though the Act is any attempt

though the Act is, any attempt to amend it will simply reduce its effectiveness. They want the

Act to be extended. President Reagan has not ye

decided what he is going to do about the Act. But whatever

decision he takes will be regarded as a litmus test of his Administration's long-term

ettitude towards America's black minority.

President Brezhnev with Herr Willy Brandt before he left Moscow. Mr Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, is on the right,

# Brandt tells US to heed arms offer

From Michael Binyon, Moscow, July 2

Herr Willy Brandt, the former West German Chancellor, said today that he would be going home after his three-day visit to Moscow without any special feeling of concern over Poland.

On his final day of talks with Soviet leaders, he told a press conference that he had not been surprised by the Russians' critical view of developments in Poland. But he had told Presi-dent Brezhnev that he agreed with the French Socialists and Communists that Poland should be allowed to continue the process of national renewal with-out outside interference.

He admitted that he and Mr Brezhnev had taken a different position on Poland, which was one of the subjects that took up much of the discussions in the Kremlin and Communist Party headquarters.

Another subject was disarma-ment and the prospects for negotiations over medium-range nuclear missiles in Europe. Herr Brandt said that he had

could go off.

There were no injuries, but damage to the tavern and adjoining properties was considerable. The blast occurred at

shout 3.30 am after closing time. There was no immediate indication of who was respon-sible for the attack.

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In the Basque country, another bomb blew up a large transformer, blacking out the town of Llodio temporarily. The incident was helieved to be the work of the Basque separatist organization ETA, as

part of its campaign against a company building a nuclear power station near Bilbao.

Suggestions that the ETA might interfere with the World

Cup football competition, due to be played in Spain in June next year, appeared in a number of Spanish newspapers. They were commenting on an interview with a leader of Herri Peters (People's Huity) a

could go off.

Madrid tavern wrecked

From Harry Debelius, Madrid, July 2

A popular tavern in the old less the Madrid Government part of Madrid, owned by a sympathizer with the extreme Right, was wrecked by two explosions early today and police found a third bomb before it Señor Idigoras told a reporter

by terrorist bombs

what he said about the need to safeguard peace. But the Soviet leader was apparently not convinced by his insistence that the West was ready to start talks on the issue.

Herr Brandt, who appeared optimistic and satisfied with his visit, drew attention to Mr Brezhnev's renewed proposal for a moratorium on the deployment of all such weapons in Europe by both Nato and the Soviet Union, and urged the United States to take note of the Soviet offer to halt deployment of the SS20 mission

ment of the SS20 missiles as soon as talks began.

He thought that what he had heard from the Russians on this would be of interest to the Bonn Government, to Western Europe and to the United States, but he did not expect to go to Washington soon.

Herr Brandt also had lengthy talks with the Soviet leaders on Afghanistan. He said he would . meet Lord Carrington, before

for the Madrid newspaper Diario 16, however, that the Italian paper had misquored and misinterpreted his remarks.

In Madrid, six members of

In Madrid, six members of the shadow extremist organization, GRAPO, (First of October anti-Fascist Resistance Groups) were still waiting to learn the verdict of the court which tried them yesterday on charges related to a 1979 bomb attack on a Madrid cafeteria frequented by right-wingers, in which nine people died and 61 were injured. Facing the possibility of sentences totalling more than 2,000 years and damage ckaims amounting to £1.6m, the defendants denied that they had placed the bomb, and accused the police and the ultra-right.

the police and the ultra-right.

Democratic fervour wanes: A national public opinion poll has reinforced the impression that

emphasized the importance of the Foreign Secretary arrived starting talks, and he had no in Moscow on Sunday evening doubt that Mr Brezhnev meant to put to the Russians his proposal for a two-stage interna-tional conference on Afghanstan. Herr Brandt spoke of Soviet eagerness for a political settlement but would not go into details of their latest think-

ing.
The Russians have treated The Russians have treated his visit as a very important one in trying to have talks started on arms control, a subject that has become exceptionally important to Moscow. Both Mr Brezhnev and Herr Brandt voiced their hopes that European détente, in which they both played a big part with the signing of the Soviet West German treaty in 1970. West German treaty in 1970,

west German freaty in 1970, should continue.

Mr. Brezimev paid Herr Brandt the honour, usually reserved for heads of government, of seeing him off at the airport. He told journalists there that the visit had brought positive results, but the most important thing was that it had taken place. taken place.

# Greece gets its first libel law

From Mario Modiano Athens, July 2

The Greek Parliament today approved the country's first law of libel. It entitles citizens to claim damages of at least £3,000 in case of defamation, and pro-

mises speedy trials.

In a country where any suspect can be called "burglar" or "murderer" in newspaper headlines, this is the first serious effort to curb irresponsible reporting and widespread scandalmongering.

The only protection offered until now was the choice between prolonged and costly penal proceedings (in which malice had to be proved), and a discreet retraction

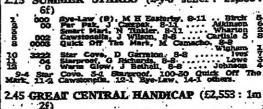
The new law establishes the civil liability, as distinct from eventual criminal liability, of media proprietors or publishers. They are now liable even if the author of the libel (known or unknown to them) had no intention to defame or was unaware of the untruth of the defamatory allegation. During the debate, which

ber of Spanish newspapers.
They were commenting on an interview with a leader of Herri Batasura (People's Unity), a political coalition close to ETA, which was published in the Iralian daily La Repubblica.
In the Italian interview, as reported here, Senor Jon tidigoras, a member of the Basque regional Parliament for Herri Batasuna, referred to the World Cup competition as a "showcase" and said that unwent on until after midnight, the Opposition arged the Gov-ernment, without success, to amend the law so that Cabinet members could not invoke its provisions. Otherwise, they said, fair comment and disclosures on matters of public in-terest would no longer be pos-

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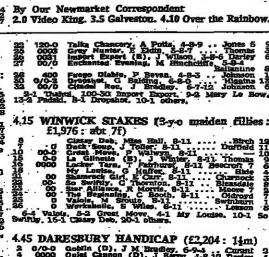
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By Our Racing Correspondent 2.0 Mumruffin. 2.30 Last Feather. 3.5 Galveston. 3.35 Kareem. 4.10 Crews Hill. 4.45 Sass.

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#### Yesterday's results at Brighton 1.45 (1.49) BEAU BRUMMEL STAKES (2-y-o maidens: £1.035; 6:

8.35 JACKSON'S CLUB SWEEPSTAKES (2-y-o: STAKES (2-7-5 maldens; 21,035; COME ON THE BLUES b c by Bitte Cashmers—Floral Gift (Capt M Lemos) 9-0 . W Carson (4-1) Chawar . . . B Raymond (9-4) Razor & s S Cauthen (7-4 - 12) TOTE: Win. 40p: places, 23p. 1 Dual F: 35p. CSF: £1,28. C Srit at Newmarkst, Neck, 22 - 21 11,49sec, Haven; a Pride (4-1) 6 ran. Les Dancer did not run.

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1.5p. Dual F: 85p. CSF: 21.54. A Hidd
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16p; Duai F; 59p, CSF; £2,59, M
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10,49sec, 12 ran. 4.18 (4.20) CHIPPENDALE STAKES (maldens: £1,035; 1'sm) SUNNINGDALE QUEEN the by Gay Fandango Lisabella (Sir T Kilson) 3-8-5 Gay Fandango—Lisabela (Sir T Kilson) 3-8-5 Cardhent (4-7 fay) 1 On Her Dwn B Raymand (7-1, 2 Fish Riffle Door 1-90 place 1-1, 12 TOTE: win 1-90 place 1-1, 13 Edward 1-1, 13 E

#### Carlisle 2.50 (2.31) CUMRUW STAKES (2-y-o: Selling: £884; 6f)

was bought in for 1.800 gumeas.

3.0 (5.1) WALTON STAKES (2-y-o: £1,055: 6f!)

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TOTE: Win, 16p, Dual F: 14p, CSF: 20p. 8 Bibs. 4: Lambourn, 1'gl. El-Lamicion (20-1), 4th. 5 ran. Lancon (20-1), 4m. S. Fall.

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4-9-12 R. Fox (7-4 fav. 1,7

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TOTE: Win, 199; places, 14p, 30p.

Dual F: 22p, CSF; 57p, P Mitchell, at Epsom. 21, hd. Bego's Hero (5-1). 4.0 (4.3) BURGH STAKES (21.073: 1m 1f 80gd) Lm If SOgd)

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TOTE: Win, 5-19; places . 21p. 15p.

5-4p. Dual F: 60p. CSF . £1.76. G

Pritchard Gordon at Nowmarket 21.

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4.30 (4.51) BLACKHALL HANDICAP (£1.665: 3-y-o: 1m 1f 80'd) CLIPHOME, gr c by Sandford L'al-Seamyside (Cliphome Lid) 17 C Duffield 17 C S Perks (11-1) Cky's Sister K Hodeson (11-2) TOTE: Win, 78p; places, £1.58, CSF 29.90, G A Prichard Gorden a View market, 1<sup>3</sup>21, <sup>3</sup>21. Lifestyle (4-5 14v, 4th, 5 ran. 4th. 5 rm.

5.0 (5.1) CITY HANDICAP 121,788:
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Safety limits

Because of the re-railing of the flat course at Wolverhampton, the safety limits have been reduced as follows: 5 furlongs is now 16; 7f-12: 1 mits-14: 1m 1f-16: 11m-18: 2m 192yds-16. The new limits the effect invasional transfers in the safety in the saf

# Borg banquet for the gods, McEnroe feast for the 'vultures'



Into the final with a shout: McEnroe's talking racket.

Tennis Correspondent

Bjorn Borg, champion for five Bjorn Borg, champion for five consecutive years, heat Jimmy Connors 0-6, 4-6, 6-3, 6-0, 6-4 in three hours and 18 minutes at Wimbledon yesterday evening. The fact that this put Borg in the final again—with John McEnroe, the man he beat in a memorably exciting match last year—seemed irrelevant by comparison with the blazing beauty Borg and Connors cast upon the centre court. This was one of the greatest singles matches played at Wimbledon.

It was not so much the swing of the score, this way and that. It was not so much the clash of wills—the bleak looks that indicated both apprehension and a willingness to make a straight choice between a VF or a blenker. tween a VC or a blanket. What emobled the match was the quality of the tennis and the skill and spirit that provoked it.

These two players were like gamblers who had laid on the table the ultimate stress the stress.

gamblers who had lain on me table the ultimate, stake—their lives. They were frightened and they were brave. They were ready to risk shything. Not since 1977 and Mark Edmondson (in the second round) had Borg come back to win from two sets down.

In the first set he scored only In the first set he scored only 13 points. Country, "Jimmy the Grunt", is still the most exciting player in the game. He began the match as if the point he was playing was the only thing he had to live for. It did not seem possible that one man could have so much energy and spend it so much energy and spend it so

There seemed to be a swarm of Connors on court—all of them racing about like lunatics and belt-ing the daylights out of Borg.

Borg was hurried, harassed, combused—and wild. Everything was happening too fast for him. He likes a well-ordered life and Connors was therefore disconcerting company. ng company.

But one of the secrets of the sennine champions, in any sport,

place level. Sursance took inter-ours and one minute to beat the unseeded Rod Frawley 7—6, 6—4; 7—5. To get the sside out of the way, McEuroe once referred to a section of the crowd as "vul-tures" when they applauded a fault, was warned for unsports-man-like conduct when he sug-gested that he was being

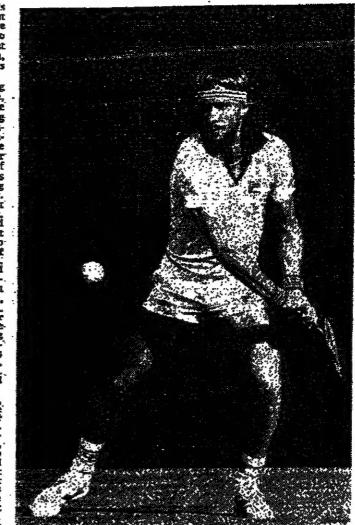
is that they can soak up punishment and bounce back to their best form. Borg did this. In one of the most remarkable games ever played at Wimbledon
—it contained 24 points and lasted
19 minutes—be broke back to 4—4
in the second set. Comport had
six game points for 5—3 and Borg
needed five break points. The fact
that Connors lost only three more

handled the match well. McEuroe won, it. Frawley took everything in his stride and merely concentrated on playing the finest tensis of his life for as long as he possibly could. Frawley never cracked until the 11th game of the third set, when he lost his service from 40 love up, serving three double faults on the way, Frawley put only 52 per cent of his first services into court, points in the set was irrelevant.
Borg's game was at last in tune.
After that Country was no longer schleving miracles. He was simply playing the best tehnis he could paying the best teams he could it and punishing his body until it could stand no more. He made little impression on the third set and even less in the fourth. Meanthree double rauns on the way.

The crux came in the fifth set
when, three times, Comnors was
0—48 down on his own service.

Twice he fought back to in the
game. Was there no end to the
game. Was there no end to the
game and the service into court,
but his second ball was so good
and his volleying so decisive that
he was always a hard man to
break. At first he had a lot of
trouble reading McEnroe's game,
which meant that Frawley moved
late and often had to lunge, offbelones and leave the court open Twice he fought back to in the game. Was there no end to the man's resistance? The third time, Borg nabbed him: and that break to 4-3 was decisive. In the next to 4-3 was decisive. In the next game Borg saved two break points to reach 5-3.

You never know what to expect rum chaps like Borg. They look ulet, conventional types, yet eep surprising us with startling



Into the final with a rebound: Borg's silent reply.

# Results in four events at Wimbledon yesterday

Men's singles -Semi-final round

Men's doubles Semi-final round

Women's doubles Semi-final round

Mixed doubles

#### Today's order of play at Wimbledon

but sportingly made no protest and admirted fault.

One of the toughest faces of the opening day was the British mational lightweight, eight, rowing as London, in the Thames Cup

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lames Trademen's RC best Notting-ham and Union RC, 121. 7mins

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11-1. 7mins 5-lees.

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Smins 2secs.

Smiles 1865 Junith BC best Vests RC, easily, Spin 37sec Innity College, Hartford (US; beat, Manchester University, 41, 7mins

Leander Club beat Northwich RC. 21cl. Smins 15secs. Isis BC beat Tideway Scullers School, easily. 7mins 81secs.

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Britannia Cup

beat Bedford, 61, 7mins Charles River RA (US) beat Notting-ham BC, 41, 7mins 38secs.

Silver Goblets

Ladies' Plate

Rowland and J Hunt (Weybridge) best I D Smith and A W Nelder (Lity of Cambridge), disqualited. Macleod and M Christie (London RC) best D Sem and J Szawich (Boston University, US), easily, Smins JSpecs. R Crocklord and D McDonnall (University of London) best R D Moud and D D Legacot (Rosselaxy).

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R Taylor and A N Jelfs (Tideway Scallers and Abbadon) best G-P Lloyd and R W Hine (Quindin); 21, 8min 44sec.

Bentham BC w/o University of Natal,

Ellams Cofrego (US) best University

#### Local resident calls for ballot

A Wimbledon woman has called for a special ballot for local residents to get finals tickets. Dorls Kidd has lived in Wimbledon for 10 years but has never managed to get a centre court ticket. She thinks that with all the inconvenience local residents have to put up with, they have a special case for a ballot of their own. "I have sent in my application regularly, but I have never had a ticket yet," Mrs Kidd said from her Belvedere Road home, a few minutes away from the All-Ragland Club. "I support the

# Why the outright-winner girl is a loser

Chris Lloyd plays Hana Mandil-kova this afternoon in what pro-mises to be a superb women's singles final. The most obvious singles final. The most obvious feature should be the high standard of the tennis as the champions of the United States and France set about each other. Both will be mindful that Mrs Lloyd beat Miss Mandikova at Flushing Meadow but lost to her in Paris, which gives roday's match the flavour of a play-off.

A second striking theme should be the contrast in playing methods.

to grass but it must be doubtful if she can keep it up long enough to wia two sets. She may need the daunting experience of this first Wimbledon final before winning

By contrast Mrs Lloyd has al-ready played six singles finals. Her familiarity with the big occa-sion will be in her favour. As runner-up for the last three years she is also hungry for the cham-pionship. Conversely, that sequence may, like her defest in Paris, have affected her confidence.

In short, the pointers mostly indicate that Mrs Lloyd will add a third Wimbledon singles cham-plouship to her four French and five United States titles.

Bob Jenkins, aged 38, a Welsh civil servant, will umpire the men's singles final tomorrow. He is the third youngest men's singles unpore of all time and only the third to be appointed under the age of 50. Bill Pickup, of Stockport, will be in charge of today's women's singles final Major Person women's singles final. Major Peter Webster will umpire the men's doubles, Malcolm Huntington, a

# How Smith finally broke the holders

By Geoffrey Green
For the majority singles is the game. To be a Wimbledon champion is to hold the Blue Riband of renuis. Yet a good tainly the quality of a fine match on court one was as good as any, thing during the past formight as Smith and Lutz, the American title pair unseated last year's holders, the Australians McNamara

To dispose of the details tirst.

McNamara proved the Achilles
heel of his partnership with three
double faults and having his service captured three McNamee was broken McNamee was proken twice, served two aces and two doubles. That was the Australian balance sheet. As for the American Smith too was broken thrice and Lutz twice. But they kept free of double faulting

Smith too was broken thrice and Lutz twice. But they kept free of double faulting.

So much for the bare bones. But the flesh and blood of action that clothed the skeleton was anything but dusty and dry. Much of it was invigorating as the four men stood toe to foe at times, pulling off a whirl of close volleys which surely sometimes were foo fast for the eye to follow. McNamee here was the sharper of the Australians. Lutz, almost as quick as McNamee, and Smith, however proved the more integrated pair. Smith in particular dominated many a rally with clever placements of angled volley and lob, changing the pace of many of his replies.

Smith, tall, clean-cut with the look of a West Point military man, was the first to be broken at the start as the Australians stole the opening set. However, the Americans broke back after some lightning rallies to 4-4 and then 6-4 for the set.

But the two "Macs" proved the more eagle eyed as they swept into the lead at 6-2 and 6-4. Now battle royal was joined.

The Americans broke to 4-2 in the fourth set; the Australians pulled closer in the minth game against Smith's service and then moved to 6-6. It was a double fault by McNamara at the seventh point that let in Lutz and Smith to take the tie-break at 7-5 and level the match.

It was at this moment that the court one assembly rose for the

It was at this moment that the court one assembly rose for the arrival of Lady Diana Spencer, It seemed to inspire Smith who all the time more and more was forcing his Influence on affairs. Once he smashed six times in succession only to find the Australian defences improved the Australian defences improved the small forces.

Rowing

## Henley stirs at hint of revolution afloat

Henley Royal regatta retains that marvellous atmosphere of victoriana—and long may some aspects of it live—but yesterday it became a testing ground for an invention which may revolutionize scuiling. Volker Noite, a 28-year-old West German and an expert in bio-mechanics, introduced into Britain a step forward in ergouomics in the sport.

Mote is the third-ranked sculler in West Germany and has an outside chance of winning the Diamonds although the European world and Olympic medal winner. Chris Baillien, is in his half of the draw. He is reading for a doctorate and, short of time academically and athletically long in the tooth, he decided to make his sculling boat do more work for him.

him.

In his heat of the Diamonds yesterday Nolte sculled in an armichair with his rigger and footstretcher moving as one. That invention, which Notte has on patent, eliminates the wasteful effort of moving a body's centre of gravity up and down the slide and makes the strongest muscles of the body work more efficiently. He locked his secret away in the boot of his car after his race yesterday before any interviews. But you can be sure that the top scullers of the world are wanching with interest—particularly as ing as London in the Thames Cup against the American schoolboys, Kent School-who had an advantage of over two stone. But for three of the Kent eight being over age they would have been formidable in the Princess Elizabeth Challenge Cup. Although Kent's coxswain roared over the course "we are the heavyweights and they are the lightweights"; London's experience and two pieces of acceleration were sufficient to bring them home by threequarters of a length. scullers of the world are warring with interest—particularly as Noite claims that it saves 10 seconds over the Henley course. Yesterday Noite beat Zsucs, of Bedford Rowing Club, and now he meets the Spanish lightweight international, Jose Quintana Colomer, who overcame Steve Wilson.

Nilsen entered from Colomnel in Ireland but is the son of a Norweglan. Thor Nilsen, former coach of the Spanish national team and now with the Italians. The irony is that Nilsen senior coached Colomner as part of his professional duties, but young Milsen appreciates the funny side of it.

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ates the funny side of it.

The regatta started on a sadnote with a disqualification in the fist race of the day, in the Ladies Plate. Healey's chairman, Peter Coni—traditionally the umpire of the opening race—deserves all credit in attempting to avoid an incident. The University of Natal (South Africa) went afloat 35 minutes before the scheduled start at nine o'clock. But they were out of sight two minutes before the race, when the rules state they should be attached to the start. Coni started the race three minutes late and Bentham Boat Club, a London Hospital student crew, were left to row over. Hav-ing raised \$10,000 for the trip of

can students from Pletermaritz-

### Today's order of rowing at Henley

#### Yachting

### Admiral's Cup defenders faster

Sydney, July 2.—The three Australian yachts defending the Admiral's Cup in England later this month should be markedly faster than when they were selected at the trials in Melbourne last April, Syd Fischer the team captain for the sixth time said today. Speaking at a press conference at speaking at a press conference at the Royal Sydney Yacht Squad-ron; he said modifications had been made to all three yachts to improve their light-weather per-formance in English waters, and the results looked encouraging.

The five-rare Admirai's Cup series opens at Cowes on July 29 and ends with the testing Fast-

# Barrett puts up £100,000 for Sibson-Minter clash

The promoter, Mike Barrett, has offered a £100,000 purse for a match between Tony Sibson and Alan Minter. Mr Barrett wants Sibson to defend his European middleweight title against Minter, the former World Champion, at the Albert Hall on October 13.

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contest will go ahead.
"It's the hottest fight in
Britain," he said. "Sibson is keen Britain," he said. "Sibsou is keen to have the fight and I hope that Minter will want to try and regain the tide he gave up when he went for the world championship."

Mike Weaver will defend the World Boxing Association heavyweight tide against James Tillis in September. The winner will meet Gerry Cooncy in February.—

to sign for a mandatory defence. defence.
Jeff Chandler (US) will defend
his WBA bantamweight title in
Atlantic City on July 25 against
Puerto Rico's Julian Solis, the
man be dethroned eight months

Polo :

#### **Hipwood scores** four for Les Diables Bleus

By John Watson Spectators at Midhurst yesterday were entertained to one of the most exciting high-goal matches this season. It was the Texacosponsored British open championship match between Guy Wildenstein's Les Diables Bleus and the Flayed on a dry, dusty pitch that sent the ball bouncing and gave no comfort to ponies' legs, the score ran 6—6 in the last chukka and 7—6 in favour of Les Diables Bleus in extra pine. Les Diables have sent the Prince of Wales forward to two and un Robert power and celebrated backhanders and of Graham's Ilair as a forward; and the team might have held more potential with their old lineup. Playing in the opposing pivot positions, Julian Hipwood, the All-England captain, and the Mexican. Antonio Herrera, proved as difficult to catch as ever. For the winners, Hipwood, who was milling a lot of his gool-bate. was pulling a lot of his goal-shots, nevertheless scored four times, Wildenstein twice, and Graham

once.

In the next set to of the same tournament, Cowdray Park just had the edge on Sladmore until the had the edge on Sladmore until the fifth chukka, when Cowdray's veteran No. 3, Paul Withers, Iell and 20t trampled on by two ponies. He continued to play but was obviously inhibited by pain; and Sladmore (a rather noisy squad, who have an impulsive habit of appealing to the umpires) won 10—8. Their hero was Alphonso Pieres.

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SLADMORE: 1. T. Horswell (5): back, R Ferguson (5).

CIRENCESTER PARK: Falcons 10,

Scrummage rules

A clamp down is planned for next season on scrummaging offences by the Rugby League. In an effort to improve the scrummaging, members of the League's executive committee will meet the season of the

Swimming

#### Britain may not be outclassed in every event From Athole Still

to box Weaver for the WBA title, but the WBA executive committee have ruled that Weaver must first defend against Tillis, who was the

leading available contender last March when Weaver was supposed

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Over the next three days here the British swimming team face the might of the Soviet Union in what will inevitably prove to be a one-sided contest. One dislikes adopting such a pessimistic standpoint, but we have never seriously challenged the Russians, either in multi-nation team events, or in six previous head-to-head international matches. Moreover, this weekend we will tackle them with a team considerably below full strength, due to the non-availability of some 20 potential or certain team members who were precluded by examinations, sickness, the eightnations match in Switzerland, and the insistence of some coaches on resting a few already heavily raced performers.

performers.

The Russians are fielding virtually their strongest team, which includes five Olympic gold medallists and a host of other world ranked performers. Britain's young team, with nine newcomers, will have to regard the meeting as a testing ground for the European championships in Split, Yugoslavia, in September. Viewed in those terms, the experience should prove valuable.

We will not be opposed in

We will not be outclassed in every department, however, and victories could well come our way in the breaststroke, in which, para-doxically, the Russians have always been strong. Susannah Brownsdon (Tunbridge Wells), who is 15, and Adrian Moorhouse (Leeds Central). 17, have shown remarkable improvement since last season and both have had Russians behind them in international events

Miss Brownsdon is corrently third in the world over 200 metres (2min 35.75sec); with one Russian, Svetlana Varganova (2min 34.70sec), shead of her and she is only fifth over 100 metres (1min 12.73sec), with two Russians. Elvira Vasilkova and Tania Bogomilova, 1.5sec and .2sec respectively faster. Never-theless. I expect Miss Brownsdon

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# Time you tested Cornhill Insurance

The opening day had a cold edge. Today the Grand crews take the stage: The British eights face three American universities. At the top of the draw the British national eight—Leander and

national eight—Leander and Tyrian—are expected to dispose of Boston University before marching on to uneet in tomorrow's semi-final round the super heavyweights of Washington university, who have a bye.

At the hottom half of the draw. London University should beat Cornell but the cornerstone of the Grand could be the opening heat; today between Oxford University combined with Thames Tradesmen against Yale. The ladies invitation races start on Saturday.

Rowing celebrities yesterday at Heriley included two expatriates. Colin Porter and Ted Field, both winners of the Thames cup and Wyfolds in 1953 for the Royal Air

Force; Tony Fox, twice winner of the Diamonds; rumours abound that Sam McKenzie, that most controversial character who wonthe Diamonds six times, may

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### The agony of losing is somehow greater, as members of Bedford RC discover in the Thames Cup.

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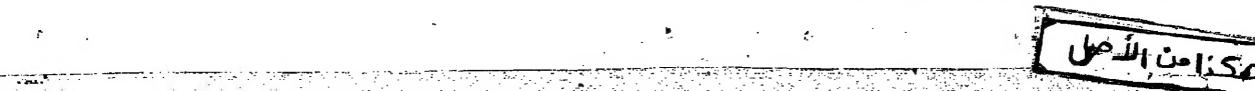
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slightly less chance on paper than Miss Brownsdon, but he has the encouragement of knowing he has section of committee will meet sections committee will meet section on July 12. International Board rules on scrummaging, approved last November, will come into force in the English League next season. A "sin bin" tis included, in the rules but this is included, in the rules but this does not mean that it will be used.



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Cricket

# England batsmen fail broke the to live up to their promise of first hour

By John Woodcock
Cricket Correspondent
LORD'S: England have scored 191
for four wickets against Australia.
England failed to live up to
their promise of the first hour
when the second Test march
against Australia, sponsored by
Cornhill, began yesterday. Having
been given, by modern standards,
the briskest of starts, they fell
foul of of Lillee or Aldermann,
who bowled them out at Trent
Bridge, but of Lawson, who was
no more than an auxiliary there.
In his first over Lawson almost
had Boycott caught at slip; in his
second he removed Gooch and in
his fourth Boycott. He was also
the cause of Woolmer's retirement, when he had scored 13, with
a damaged nerve in his left arm,
Lawson having hit him there with
a shortish ball.

a shortish ball.
Gower, too, was a Lawson victim, caught at the wicket just as he was opening up. On top of all this, it was Lawson whose powerful return from long leg had appeared to run out Gower when he was 11. To all the world it looked as though Gower, having set off on a second run, had nowhere near gor home when Gatting sent him back. Umpire Palmer, however, thought he had,

By perhaps a coupie of yards



By Alan Gibson TAUNTON: Surrey, with eight second innings wickets in hand, lead Somerset by 168 runs.

lead Somerset by 168 runs.

It was the day of the Sparrow and Shoreditch should be proud. Jackman took six wickets for 70 in 27 overs, and made, I estimate, 63 enthusiastic appeals. I knew he was in good form when I heard him roar in the last over on Wednesday. In his first spell yesterday he took three wickets for 10 runs. Somerset had been 29 for nowickets overnight, 246 behind, but were soon 66 for three, including the vital wicket of Richards. There followed a stand by Denning and

Roebuck. Denning held the funings together, although he batted for as many as 46 overs for his 65.

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Linter clash

Lawson was the fastest of the Australian bowlers. He came first to our attention in Sydney two and a half years ago, when he put the wind up Boycon: since when he has been propositioned by Lancashire, where he had a zeason in the league, and overshadowed by Lillee, Pascoe and Hogg. He got the last bowling place in this Australain party ahead of Thomson, and yesterday he showed why. son, and yesterday he showed why.

For Enland Gatting played very well for 59. He has the buildog spirit, much as Ken Bartington did, and the same sturdy, pugnacious, reassuring appearance. His play through the covers, especially off the back foot, was super. It is easier to think of men of Gatting's build—Edrich, for example, and Leyland, as well as Barting-ton—who have enjoyed the fight against Australia than of those with more willowy contours. Gatting should not, though, have got our when he did—in bright light and on a pod wicker with so much to play for.

There used to be a time when

There used to be a time when to put the opposition in was con-sidered to be taking an ungovern-able risk. "When in doubt, bat" was the order of the day, Now, as often as not, if not more so, sides prefer to bat second. It hapin England's last 13 Test matches.

Hughes, winning the toss, chose to field, thinking presumably that if a fairly grassless pitch was ever going to have any life it would be in its early stages. England played the same side as at Trent Bridge encept that Taylor will keep wicket; with Hogg unfat, Australia included Bright, the taker of 22 wickets in his previous nine Test matches.

One time Regiand's innings in

one Test matches.

Opening England's innings in his 100th Test, Edycott was cheered most of the way to the wicket. This seemed not so much to relax him as make him more tense than usual, Alchongh quickly off the mark he took 100 minutes to score 17. Even so, the longer he stayed the more liketer it became that with his sense of correction to stayed the more likelier it became that, with his sense of occasion, he would make a larger score. With Gooth making all the running England were 54 after an hour's play. As the Americaliani took an interval for drinks, when it was hard to believe they were thirsty, Hughes must have been wondering as to the wisdom of fielding first.

At 60 Gooch, hooking at Lawson was easily caught at short mid-wicket. He had been playing so well that this came as a surprise, he shot, though it misfired, was

The patch was not reany as man difficult. Perhaps the word for it would be "uneasy". The bounce of the ball varied. The weather was cloudy. There was a threat of a heavy rainstorm in the afternoon, but it passed us by, though it looked as if it was giving West Bashorough a doubing.

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SURREY: First Innings, 275 (G

G S Clinios, b Gerner
A R Butcher, c Denning, b Moselsy
R D V Knight, not out
G R J Roope, no rost
Extras (5 5, 1-5 2, 5-5 2)

Total (2 wits)

7 M Smith, M A Lynch, Intikha
Alam, D J Thomas, 1C J Richard
R D Jackman and P I Porock to hat.

SOMERSET: Piret Innings

B C Rose, 1-b-w, b Jackman
Olive, 1-b-w, b Jackman
V A Richards, b Jackman
M Roebuck, c Roope, b Thomas
W Denning, b Inthush
F M Popplawell, c Roope, b
Jackman

N F M Populawen,
Jackman
V J Marks, c Smilh, b Jackman
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V J J S Taylor, l-b-w, b Indikhab
J Garner, c Richards, b Jackman
R Mosley, c Richards, b Thomas
G H Dredge, not out
Extras (b 5, 1-b 2, n-b 1),

Total (71.4 overs) ...

Total (71.4 overs) . . . 190

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-49, 2-59, 3-66, 4-145, 8-147, 6-153, 7
158, 8-165, 9-171, 10-190.

BOWLING: Jackman, 27-6-70-6:
Thomas, 15.4-6-58-2: Knight, 50-22-0: Roope, 5-0-18-0: Pocock, 6-3-13-0: Inukhab, 14-621-2.

BOULS points: Somewet 5, Surrey 7.
Umpires: B J Mayer and D R
Shepherd.

a new joke.

Day of the Sparrow leaves

Surrey in a good position



Lawson, fastest of the Australian bowlers, showing why he

a reasonable one to try. By lunch retried to rest a hamstring. The Boycott was also out, caught at third slip by Alderman. As the capacity crowd were still there, years catch up on him Boycott becomes that much slower getting into line. In eight out of his last nine Test dismissals he has been from the nursery end. I say slow caught at the wicket, at slip or left-arm rather than left-arm spin, in the gully.

26 overs and been well passed by Gatting. It was not so much that Gower was having a struggle—he has been in brilliant form recently—as that he could find no opportunities to play his favourite strokes. And when, after the teams had been presented to the Queen, he did, he hit three spanking fours and then got out, caught by Marsh, playing firm-footedly at Lawson. 51 together. For the fourth wicket Gatting and Willey made 54. Australia were without Alderman

Glamorgan v Hants

Total (96.5 overs)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1—8,
5—152, 4—158, 5—183,
7—293, 8—300, 9—326, 10—

Umpires: C Cook and C T Spencers

Total (no whi) 6 N E Briuss, B P Davison, T J Boos. 1 M A Garriagn, P Booth, A M E Roberts, G J Parsons, N G B Cook and J P Agnew to bat.

VORESHIRE: First lasings
Lumb, b Agnew
D Moorn, c Garnham, b Roberts
W-J Athey, c Cooks, b Agness
H Hampehire, C Garnham, b
Agness
L Santasow, c Booch, b Roberts
M Old, b Agness
B Stovenson, c Balderstone, b
Booth

FALL OF WICKETS: 1—48, 2—83, 3—94, 4—142, 5—290, 6—515, 7—518, 8—321, 9—350, 10—358.

Today's cnicket

Yorkshire v Leicester

Second Innings
J F Steels, not out

Northants v. Gloucs

Total (4 whits) ... 233 Kapil Dev. | G Sharp, D J Wild, T I sub and B J Griffiths to bat.

Total (6 what doc. 73.5 overs) 301 D A Graveney, B M Britis and J H Childs did not not FALL OF WEXETS: 1-15, 2-61, 5-67, 4-69, 6-228, 6-265, 

Unspires: R S Bernen and B Lead Worcs v Sri Lankans AT WORCESTER WORCESTERSHIRE: Past Initial 301 (De Silva 6 for 100).

SRI LANKA: First Imings Hettigratchy, pun out Wettinuny, 1-b-w, b Patel Warmspun, c Turner, b Pat Warnepuca, c Turner D Mandis, c Weston, l L Dias, c Fisher, b'in

BUWLING Inchment, 20 4 57 1; Combes, 19 53 1; Thomas, 17 5 9; Patel 2E 5 76 5; Westim, 5 1 14 0; Birten-staw, 20 5 67 1;

Second XI competition FLEETWOOD: Derbyshire II, 267 for 7 dec (J Marris 53, K G Brooks 53) and 51 for 5; Lancashire II, 293 for 6 dec (K A Eayes 55, E Pilling 53 not out).

BRADFORD: Yaskshire v Leicesterkire. OTHER MATCH WORCESTER: Worcestershire v Sri Langens.

**Notts** hopes Miss Lee Smith maintains her lead go west but pursuers change places

Essex never looked like finishing with as many runs as they finishing with as many runs as they finishing with as many runs as they finished with this championship match, spousored by Schweppes. Fletcher was first to dispel anxiety by staying put when Nothinghamshire's tails were up and the rest of the credit must go to Turner, East, and Smith for capitalizing when the bowlers were theed. The pitch remained slow but there was tail variable bounce available to the quicker bowlers just short of a length.

available to the quicker hawlers just short of a length. Hadlee used the end where the pitch has yielded the most help—the first aix Essex wickers all fell at the river end—and howled all trough with splendid hostility and line. With his economical action and relatively short run Hadlee is a more preferable model for youngsters to emulate than most other overseas fast bowlers. Hadlee's fifth hall of the day brought him Hardle's wicket, with Rice holding the catch at second sipp holding the catch at second sipp McEwoy had his off-sump liabled without offering a smoke and the New Zealander's first spell read 10.—4—13—2. Rice gave himself a second spell and Essex were 64 for four after he bowled McEwon playing forward, and had pout leg before to a hall that skidded through low.

Thillip, soon after lunch, also failed to deal with a ball of low home cas he played back. All this time Fletcher, after an incertain start, was stroking the ball with more assurance than anyone else. Essex were still 58 runs short of saving the follow-on, though, when Fletcher, playing forward, edged a catch to second slip.

Nottinghamshire were then

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248 for 5 dec: (C. 8 Brice 166 m out. J D Birch 111: Bowling: Leva 25 1-81-4: Phill. 19 0 65 Tunner, 26-5-75-D: Base, 24-1 75-1: Annald. 14-1-38-0. Total (I with R E Dechar, C E B Rice, irch, M J Harris, R J Hadden summings, †C Scott and M R

Burns poi Umpires: A Jepson and D Stackle.

Greenidge takes second 100 off Glamorgan

Gordon Greenidge hit his second century of the season against Glamorgan yesterday. The Hampshire opener scored the first when Hampshire won the championship match at Bournemouth last mouth, after a generous Glamorgan declaration.

In Swamsea yesterday his 109 with one six and 17 fours helped Hampshire reach 340 and a first innings lead of 23. Greenidge shared in a third wicker stad of 73 with Jesty (30). When both departed Pocock kept up the Hampshire scoring with 51 (12 fours) in 30 minutes.

John Hampshire, who bit 13 fours in a faultiess 112 and David Bairstow (84) added 148 for Yorkshire's fifth wicket against Leices-

shire's fifth wicket against Leicestershire.
Bairstow hit flercely, for two
sixes and 11 fours as he and Hampshire broke the grip of the Leicestershire fast sowiers." Later Stewenson hir four fours in one over
from Agnew who returned a career
best five for 72.
Northampton
Zaheer Abbas, the Pakistan Test
battman, continued his prolific
sooring for Gloucestershire with
135 not out against Northamptonshire, taking his total for the
season to 1,551 runs with an
average of 127.89:
Worcester

SOUTHARSTON: Hampshire II v Gloscassarshire II.
GANTERBURY: Keet II v Yarabire II.
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BASTBOURNE: Sussex II v Essex II.

EASTBOURNE: Sussex II v Essex II.

SVETES O' Lanka and Worcestershire saw the touring side tumble
from 335 for five to 350 all out

with East's

tournament, sponsored by McEwan's Lager, at Cardiff yesterday with another round of 71, but her nearest pursuers have changed places. Second place on changed places. Second place on 143 is new shared by Karstin Ehrnlund, of Sweden (68 yesterday), and Vicki Thomas, a Welsh amateur (70), followed by three players on 145. They included the nearest overnight challengers, Christine Langford (73) and Susan Latham (73), now joined by Muriel Thomson (72). Latham (73), now joined by Muriel Thousen (72). The star rurn yesterday was the attractive blonde Swede, who equalled her own course record with a round of 68, four under par. Clearly she has 2 liking for Whitchurch, for she won this fournament last year with a two-round total of 142 (68 and 74). The third round had to be cancelled because of a thurderstorm. One poor hole yesterday prevented her from surpassing her own record, even of emulating Dale Reid's women's professional

golf tournament record of 66. An otherwise exceptional round was marred by a six at the 302-yard much. A fluffed pitch shot out of light rough put her in the saud and a chimned bunker shot skated through the green. Miss Lee Smith's round followed the general pattern, since the optward half, par 37, offers greater opportunities than the ran for home. She played the first nine in three nader par, the second in two over. Like Miss Ehrnlund, she gained strokes at two of the long holes and wedged close

into a bunker at the next.

Mrs Thomas, still better known, perhaps, under her maiden name. Rawlings, threatened all sorts of records with an outward half of 32, highlighted by an eagle three at the 420yd eighth, by way of drive, four wood and five-toot putt. Her countrymen and women gathered to bring her triumphantly in, but a 6, 5, 5 finish, three over par, ruined the party.

Leading scores par, ruined the party.

Leading Scores
142: J Lee Smith, 71, 71,
145: K Ehralund (Swedon)
Mrs V Thomas 75, 70,
146: C Langford 72, 75: S
73, 73; M Thomson 75, 72,
147: D'Reid 78, 69,
148: S Fordon (US) 74, 74:
74, 74: J Chapman 74, 74:
149: M Swrien 77, 73; T F
73, 77; E Ruke 75, 73; T F
76, 72; C Panton 78, 72.

# Local amateur in high class company

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satistic nature to warth Langer, over a pair but through sheer determination he has erased the golding nightmare of the "twitch" from his game. So it came as something of a surprise especially

somerang or a surprise especially after he had holed on three other occasions from 15 feet, that he should take three puts at his lass hole which, after a weak eight iron approach and a topped chip, contributed to a circ

Linköping, July 2
Severiano Ballesteros and Bernhard Langer, two of the biggest names in European golf, were joined by Krister Kinell, an amateur relatively unknown outside this country, for the lead after the first round of the £50,000 Scandinavian Open on the Linköping course here today. Their scores of 63, two mider par, gave them a one stroke advantage over Stephen Bennett; a former England international, and Steve Martin, a former Walker Cup player. Gordon Brand, Gary Cullen, Mannel Piñero and Jose-Maria Canizares, both of Spain, and Tony Johnstone, of Zimbabwe, all, hall 71.

Ballesteros felt that this was his

Ballesteros felt that this was his best round in Europe this season, hardly a susprise since this is only his second tournament. He con-trolled the ball in the windy con-ditions, missing as he did only three greens, and his three birdies all came with rotte of around 15

Kinell studied at the United States International University in San Diego in 1975 and 1976 and he played in several college tournaments in which he pitted his skills against such goffers as Curts, Strange and Scott Simpson curts, Strange and Scott Simpson who have since become winners on the United States circuit. Kinell, however, elected to return home after one year and he made the decision to remain in his home town of Linköping to work as a physical education instructor in the local primary school. Last year he fractured his right leg while demonstrating a somer-sault to his pupils but there was

evaporated with a six.

In the morning Nick Faldo appeared poised to quickly make up for the disappointment of missing the half way cut in the Coral classic last week when he made a birdie at the first hole and he holed from 20 feet for an eagle three at the fourth. However, he dropped a succession of shots, culminating with a five at the 16th (153 yards) where his seven iron tee shot struck a tree and the ball ricochetted into a pond, and he finished with a 72.

ing Tony Jacklin. He gaine

of onlookers. His round included

four birdies and an eagle three

he reached the green with a driver

and a five iron and he holed from 30 feet and Jacklin's own hopes of a solid first round evaporated with a six.

# A rush entry becomes the toast of Bordeaux

By John Wilcockson.

Urs Frenler, of Switzerland, is an imposing character on and off his bicycle-tail, bronzed and moustachioed. He was contracted at the last minute to ride in the Tour de France and at the end of the 141-mile eighth stage from Pau to Bordeaux he outsprinted the pack to give TT-Raleigh Creda their fourth stage win of the race. Even the double stage winner, Freddy Maertens, of Relgium, had no answer to the final surge by Frenlet, who used his huge thighs to plough a lone furrow along the rain-duranched finishing straight, leaving in his wake five of the fastest road sprinters in Burope.

It had been a rapid stage, mostly through the plan forests of the fast Landes plan, with five intermediate. a more comportable 33 seconds.

Shortly after this fourth rush
an emerprising breakaway was
made by five lowly placed riders,
two Dutch, two Belgian and one
French, the best placed of whom
were Bernard Bourreau, of
France, a Pengeot team mate of
Anderson, and Johan Van de
Velde, of the Netherlands, a member of TI Raleigh. This quintet soon established a lead of one minute 40 seconds bur by the time they countsted the day's final rush, 17 miles from the finish, their gains had dropped below the minute. Hinault was particularly active in spearheading bis Remault-Gitane team's of the flat Landes plain, with five intermediate "rush" sprints to enliven the debate between the yellow jersey, Bernard Hinault, and his dauphin, Philip Anderson, of Angersia.

and his dauphin, Philip Anderson, of Australia.

At each of the rushes time homses of 12, eight and four seconds were awarded to the first three riders across the line. And with Binault preceding Anderson by a mere 13 seconds at the start of the day it was clear that the more advoit of the pair would be able to gain valuable time.

Neither of them contested the first rush but at Mont de Marsan, after 47 niles, and at Céré, mine miles later, Binault proved too determined for his rival; collecting a 20-second boms against the four seconds of Anderson.

The most closely fought of their Frener competed in the 1980 Olympics, finishing founds in the one-kilometre time trial on the Moscow velodrome. He turned professional for the world track championships in September and he had little experience of road racing before this season.

racing before this season.

He was signed up by TI Raleigh to replace the injured Jan Rass after a stage win at Lugano in the Tour of Switzerland two weeks ago. His special contract is based on a generous daily wage—but, he earns nothing extra for prizes won during the tour. This seeming lack of incentive did not prevent Freuler from grabbing all the glory at Bordeaux.

EXCHING STAGE: 1. H. Previer (Switzen)

four seconds of Anderson.

The most closely fought of their sprints came at Villagrains 39 miles from the finish in Bordeaux.

The two inseparables reced wheel to wheel with Maestens—who is a clear leader of the sprint points competition—and less than a metre separated all three of them on the hine.

The judges gave the verdict to Maestens from Hinault and Anderson, which meant that the Frenchman had gained a total of 28 seconds bouns to the eight seconds of the irrepressible (Netherlands), 1925.27; 2 C Verlanden (Seignin), 1925.27; 2 C Verlanden (Seignin), 1925.28; 10 P Winner

Rugby Union **Paparemborde** leads France

for first time Brisbane, July 2.—Bruise battered, but beaten only once six matches so far, the Fren face Australia here on Sund tace Australia here on Sunday without either their captain, Rives, flanker Lacans or props Cremaschi and Wolff. Shoulder injuries in the punishing match on June 27 against New South Wales eliminated Rives and Lacans while Cremaschi received a broken jaw and Wolff was badly shaken in the midweek match against Australian Capital Territory. Capital Territory.

team which includes four new-comers: Erbaul, Fabre, Lorieux and Rodriguéz. Rodriguez, who has played spectacularly on the four said: "I knew I was solve chase and the break was caught in the outskirts of Bordeaux, leaving the way clear for Frenier and friends.

to be selected but I would have preferred to win a cap with a full, injury-free team." Prado was selected at centre over Codornion, selected at centre over Codornion,

Selected at centre over Codornion, who is still not fully recovered from an injury.

FRANCE: B Chestrast (Toulouse): M Fabre, (Bader): P Messy (Grenolis), L Paris (Besseller La Rochalle): L Paparenbords (Pad. Rochalle): L Paparenbords (Granbet). L Rodrigues Mont de Marsan). M Carpeniles (Courses). D Ethani (Agen). Dupont (Courses). D Ethani (Agen). Dupont (Ragaleres). D Codornion (Nerbanne). M Saleirangus (Dax). — Agenco France-Presse.

Travel plans secret: The travel plans of the South African team for their tour of New Zealand were still a well-kept secret today, although the departure date may were sail a well-kept secret today, although the departure date may be less than two weeks away, Reuter reports. The Springboks have been prevented from flying by the most direct route because Australia refused to grant them transit visas.

This means the team will travel across the United States. But yesterday Fift, a regular stopping point for trans-Pacific flights, amounced that no aeroplane carrying the Springbols would be allowed to land there. The first scheduled match of the tour is due on July 22.

Football

#### Companies will raise money to buy players

Spectators now have a say in the transfer market, following the establishment of the Blades Future Players Fund at Sheffield United. As one of six new companies and associations unveiled at the Fourth Division club yesterday, it will ruise money to be directed towards whichever player the manager fancies. The idea started with two supporters who wanted to help supporters who wanted to help raise funds for the chib to buy supporters who wanted to help raise funds for the club to buy Tony Currie.

Alam Dicks, the former Bristol City manager, has decided not to take charge at Gillingham in succession to the sacked Gerry Summers. He said yesterday: "Gillingham made me an excellent offer but I have decided to try and build up a sports promotion company." Buf Mr Dicks, 47, has not ruled out the possibility of returning to football. He said: "With years ahead of me I must not lose touch with the game."

Notis County, newly promoted to the First Division have taken record receipts from season ticket sales. County, who will be playing in the top flight for the first time in 55 years, have received £175,000 in advance sales and only 250 seats are left unsold.

Evertom are to notify league are left model.

Everton are to notify league clubs that Mike Lyons, their 29-year-old skipper, is now a free agent and available for transfer. But the manager, Howard Kendall said: "I shall be disappointed if he leaves, we don't want him to 20."

Praise from Fifa The International Football The International Football Federation praised the retiring secretary-general, Helmut Kaeser, yesterday for 20 years of "efficient and honest work" but made he reference to his statement that he regigned after differences with Fifa's president. Joac Havelanga. Sources said the two men differed over sponsorable of the 1982 World Com, Fencing

#### France defend the good name they made in Moscow

Clermont-Ferrand, July 2.—The Soviet Union, led by the Olympic individual foil champion, Vladimir Smirnov, and West Germany are likely to be the strongest challengers to France when the 39-nation world championships open tomorrow with the men's foil. After tonight's opening ceremony the 10-day championships start tomorrow marning with eight titles at stake and France defending at home the high reputation they won at the Moscow Games.

The French startled the Soviet Briton last: year by winning four Olympic gold medals, a performance which only Hungary in 1964 has achieved since the Second World War.

With the Olympic women's foil champion, Pascale Trinquet, the Moscow individual foil silver medalist Pascal Jolyot and the 1978 world foil champion Didier Flament again heading the team, the hosts look week only in the sabre.

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Smirnov, aged ZI, with his comprehensive defence, faces a variety of talent in the men's foll, including his highly consistent teammate, Alexandr Romankov, also 2I, who has been world champion three times and won the Olympic sliver medal in 1976.

Neither Flament nor Jolyot has been at his best this season and the leading challenge to the Russians may come from West Germany, headed by Machias Behr, aged 26. Insig's Andrea Borella will also be dangerous with his tearaway taotics.

The men's epee is equally open. Sweden's Olympic gold medallist Johan Harmenberg is absent because of medical studies. The world champion, Philippe Riboud, of France, starts among the fawourites, along with the West German Alexander Pusch, whose experience and explosive speed have brought him two world titles.—Reuter.

Rifle shooting

#### Sights set on **Oueen's Medal** By Our Rifle Shooting

The Bisley ranges have been taken over by 900 servicemen for the next 10 days in the annual combined services skill-at-arms meeting. meeting. The Army, the Royal Navy and the Royal Air Force are each running their individual series of championships in all weapons with

championships in all weapons with the key event for each service the final on July 11, the Queen's Medal competition. The Royal Navy and Royal Marines share a Queen's Medal for champion shot of the Naval Services. GENERAL'S CUP: 1, Air Commi. 1977: 2. Plymouth and Scott, 1970; 3. Portamouth, 1.070. En antard (top individual); CPO W. Portamouth), 97.

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For the record Baseball

OSAKA: US Collegiate All Stars best Japanese Collegiate All Stars Boxing

FORMIA: European light-middleweigh chempionahlp: Luigi Minchillo (Italy best Louis Acaries (France), on point over 12 rounds, Football

EAST BERLIN: East German chum-pionship: Warmen: 100 motres breast-streks: U Geweniger, imin 9 30sec. 200 metres bunariy: 7 Getseler (EG), 2min 8.97sec (European record).

Liverpool in Madrid Liverpool are to play Atletico Madrid in Madrid on August 19.

# together, although he batted for as many as 46 overs for his 65. Roebuck was out just before lunch: a good ball, but a bad time to get out. The score at lunch was 144 for four, in 43 overs. Afterwards, Jackman resumed his destructive course, Popplewell and Marks were out to good catches. Intikhab, demonstrating that les spin still has its uses, had Taylor leg-before. He also bowled Denning, and in the meantime Jackman had taken another wicket. When Jackman took his sweater, after his second long spell, and retreated to the deep field, still instinctively appealing for anything that he thought conceivable, the Somerset crowd applauded him warmly. It was just as if he came from West Bagborough, a Quantock village which in my youth had a notable reoutation for chirpiness. They also, of course, warmly applauded Denning, of Tewton Mendip, who has always been one of their favourites. It was not one of their favourites. It was not one of the Dasher's more dashing innings, but it served his side well in a time of need. Moseley hit a couple of good smacks through the covers, but the innings ended Little hope for Kent after a dismal batting day

By Alan Ross
MAIDSTONE: Kent, with two
second wickets in hand are 87
runs behind Middlesex.
Kent's grounds, with their lush,
wooded hills and beflagged
marquees, do their best to create
a festival atmosphere, but yesterday was another glum, cloudsealed day and the batting by
both sides—apart from a typically
defiant late-flourish by Knott—
was in keeping with it. Thirty
runs an hour was about the
average, and, with the ball
coming through at varying
heights, a fair proportion of these
came off the edge.
However, if there were few
strokes on view, Middlesex could
be well pleased with their efforts.
both batting and bowling. Mainly
because of a century notable for
resource and adhesiveness rather
than for fluency from Barlow,
they accumulated a lead of 89.
Kent lost three wickets in knocking this off but just when Tavare
and Asif looked as if they might
make an issue of it both were out
at 92. Kent lost three more
wickets before the end and have
little hope for today.

Barlow and Tomlins batted
scnsibly to add 56 runs at the
start but what looked like
becoming the platform for a
sizeable lead quickly disintegrated
once they were out.

Middlesex at this stage lost five
wickets for 27, Johnson with his
offspinners picking up Edmonds
and Downton without either of
them scoring. Selvey had his
middle stump uprooted by Jarvis,
and Daniel was splendidly taken
at deep square leg by Jarvis off
a ferocious pull. Hughes, on the
other hand, batted as if he was
more used to opening innings than
to closing it.

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Daniel, bowling at a fair pace and so at 3.15 pm, Kent tried again. So at 3.15 pm, Kent tried again. Daniel, bowling at a fair pace and getting the ball to cur back, had Taylor leg before at 28 and then Johnson, who had been batting with some confidence, went the same way at 44. Benson was also leg before, this time to Selvey, and Kent, 69 for 3 at tea, were still 20 runs adrift,

Tavaré looking in no great trouble, until, playing back to Edmonds fifth ball, he was beaten off the pitch and bowled. Asit, never properly in touch, went to a fine catch by Butcher, who had dropped Tavaré the over before, at second sip. at second sip.

With the prospect of being besten in two days Kent suddenly came to life. Knott, who alone in the first innings had shown spirit and inventiveness of stroke, now did so again. Ealham helped him at 37 before swatting a chortish one from Daniel or mid on. Shepherd pulled Daniel for six and looking like seeing the evening out when he, too, was given out leg before. Underwood, promoted to night watchman, immediately had his stumps ratifed by Hughes. Knott, however, driving and pulling the fast bowlers with all the time in the world, lives another day.

KENT: First Innings 120.

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Second Innings

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J P & Knott, not out

J N Shepherd, 1-b-w, b Merry

D L Underwood, b Hughes

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Extras (1-b 6, n-b 2) FALL OF WCKETS: 1—26, 2—44, 3—61, 4—92, 5—92, 6—129, 7—170, 8—171.

Middlesen : Pirst innings

J M Beraffer, 1-b-w, b Jarvis

G D Bardow, c Taylor, b Underwood

C T Rryley, c and H Berilata

K O Butcher, b Shaphard

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M W W Selvay, b Jarvis

W W Dandel, c Jarvis

W W Dandel, c Jarvis, b Johnson

W G Merry, not out

Exires (b-b 6, w 2, p-b 11) Total (96.4 overs) -- 205
FAIL OF WEINETS: 1-51, 2-45
3-65, 4-149, 5-150, 6-154, 7167, 8-175, 9-198, 10-209.

TAUNTON: Somerset v Surrey. Steele sedate on a feather mattress By Keith Macklin CHESTERFIELD: Lancashire, all second traings wickets in hand, are 118 runs ahead.

wastly more to the batsman.

Wood and Wright survived, chances and scored 114 before lunch in 41 overs, compared with 112 in 38 overs by Kennedy and Fowler. The first wicket fell at 117 yesterday and at 116 in the Lancashire knock, and atthough Simmons took three quick wickets in the afternoon session, Derbyshire gained their four batting points and set Clive Lloyd a preny problem. problem.
On a wicket still playing far too well for a bowler's morale, a result would seem to depend on either a quixotic declaration by Lloyd or a suicidal surrender of wickets by Derbyshire.

The wicketkeeper, Fowler, gave Wright a reprieve at 39, an easy-looking chance off the otherwise innocuous O'Shanghnessy. Rowler also shared a misunderstanding which allowed a snick from Wood by received. second imings wickers in annu, are 118 runs shead.

The scenario was predictable and the least sophisticated of computers could have punched out the outline of Derbyshire's response to the Lancashire harvest of 380 for five. The resemblance between the innings was uncanny on this feather, mattress at Queen's leave a modicum of encouragement to the bowler, but yastly more to the bassman.

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After limich with allowed a mick from Wood to pass by. Kennedy and Fowler showed no signs of urgency as they took the score to 41 by the close. They batted with metronomic precision, although Kennedy should have been caught by Anderson at square leg when the score was 17.

DERBYSHIRE: Pist lonings. PAIL OF WACKETS: 1-117, -205. 3-236, 4-236. BOWLING: Allett. 22 6 68 0; Radford: 17 3 65 0; O'Shaugh, nestry: 5 0 25 0; Sinnuous, 22.5 7 45 5; Lioyd: 12 32 0; Abrahems, 8 0 29 1; Hughts, 15 5 FALL OF WECKETS: 1-31, 2-46, 1-35, 2-46, 1-35, 2-46, 1-35, 3-150, 6-154, 7-45, 1-36, 0-198, 10-309.

BOWLING: Jarvis, 38.4-14-45-45, 28.4-24-45, 29.4-35, 29

LANCASSHIRE: First Innines, 380 for 5 fee. (A Mannady 180, C H Linya, C Fowler 54). Bowling: Newman, 21 G Fowler 54). Bowling: Newman, 21 G Fowler 54). Bowling: Newman, 25 G Fowler, 25 Hiller, 30 G Fowler, 25 G Fo J G Wright, c and b Simmins . 60
B Wood, c and b Straintns . 127
P N Kirvien . 1 Fowler b . 35
Administration . 35
D S Steele, not out . 35
G Millier, c Fowler, b Simmons . 0
A Hill, not out . 25
Extras (1-b S. w 1, n-b 1) . 7 Total (4 whis dec. 99.5 overs). 303 I S Anderson, 134 J Beakin, C J Tunnicilite, P G Newman and S Cidhan did not bat.



Atkins : Details of

#### COMMONS

The setting up of a representative Northern Ireland Council was announced by Mr Humphrey Atkins, Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, in the House of Commons today.

He said he intended to set up the

He said he intended to set up the council by administrative act rather than by legislation and he would seek approval from the House in the autumn.

In his speech, Mr Atkins set out in detail some of the proposed functions of the council. He envisaged that it would be composed of saged that it would be composed of perhaps 50 persons already elected by Northern Ireland voters to other representative bodies—to the Commons, to the European Parlia-ment and to the 26 Northern Ire-

ment and to the 20 Northern fre-land district councils.

Mr Atkins (Spelthorne, C) opening the debate, moved: "That this House approves of the Govern-ment's proposal to continue the provisions of the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1978 and the Northern Ireland Act 1974

for further periods."

He said that IRA propagandists sought to have the world believe that uniquely in Northern Ireland the British Government wanted to see the emergency provisions cuforced. As he had said on every they served an essential purpose in the prevailing circumstances.

If the terrorists drop their cam-paign (he said) we will drop the emergency provisions. If they dis-like these provisions the remedy is in their bands. We are doing what we can to achieve normality. With great courage and dedication ordinary policemen are doing ordinary police duties in increasing areas of the Province.

areas of the Province. While juries were open to in-timidation, judges, to their great credit, were not. He felt unable to advise the House it was yet sale to return to the jury system in terrorist trials. In the various forms of protest

by prisoners in Northern Ireland, none had protested their inno-cence; indeed many boasted of their deeds. Their protests were to achieve political status.

He had had to consider in deciding on the renewal of the

deciding on the renewal of the contract of the contract of further happen in the event of further deaths of hunger strikers which would fuel the victous circle of hatred and bitterness.

I stand unequivocally for the rule of law (he said). I want to see those who break the law arrested, brought before the court where the offences against them can be decided openly, and if they are convicted of serious offences, I want them put away for the protection of the law-abiding public.

He regretted the recent state-

abiding public.

He regretted the recent statement by the IRA relterating their claim for five demands which amounted to political status.

There can be no doubt in anyone's mind now (he said) that the Government will never accedent

He urged the families of those on hunger strike to pass on the message to their relatives, although he realised it would not be heeded by the cynical men who were manipulating the hunger used and they should realise it would be footbardy to commue. I hope the prisoners will (he said) bring their fast to an end. On the Interim Period Extension Order—which continues provision for direct rule for a further 12 months—he said many people in the province approved of direct rule and did not think it should

The system had worked well over seven years and it provided a government acting with the auth-ority of Parliament at Westminster, together with a Secretary of State in the cabinet and a civil service. They must build opon one post-

they must sum apon one post-tive achievement—the development of relations between Britain and the Republic of Treland, which were of immense value. They had not sought to negotiate the constitutional future of Northern Ireland. Despite all the scaremongering, the accusation did not stick. He was sure he had not stick. He was sure he had the House's endorsement of their hopes that they could with profit continue this process with the new government in Dublin.

. The Government would not be influenced by the doctrine of despair heard from certain quarters at present. Just because there is no easy answer and the going got more than anywhere else.

We are certainly not going to
cut and run (he said) leaving the cut and run (he said) leaving the cidzens of Northern Ireland, the vast majority of whom want nothing more, than to get on with their daily lives in peace and quiet, without the services and protection that they deserve and need.

Nor did the Government intend to daily with ideas of redrawing the boundaries of the Province Anyone who knew the distribution of population in Northern Ireland also knew how futile—as well as unprincipled and unjust—re-partition would be. It would exacerbate the problem, not solve

But the Government should not But the Government should not simply sit on its hands and do nothing. Direct rule as it existed today, while it had many advantages, had one major flaw—there was not enough of a Northern Ireland political input into the governing of the Province.

Of course there were the 12 representatives of Northern Ireland in the Commons but they, like ministers, faced the twin difficulty both of the range of subjects with which they must subjects with which they must concern themselves and of geo-

Exhaustive discussions over the past two years with Northern Ireland political parties had driven him to the conclusion that it was not yet possible to confer executive or legislative powers upon a representative Northern Ireland body. A body exercising such powers must be acceptable to both parts of the community. But the basis for that acceptability still

did not exist.

The Government must therefore consider a more gradual approach, under which a representative body could be set up which did not at the outset possess such powers.

It is my belief (he said), we need this body as a matter of urgency. There is a pressing need to re-engage, people, in Northern Ireland in political matters; and in the bread-and-butter social and economic issues that most directly affected people's lives.

# Elected public figures on new Ulster council

legislation and election would imvanced to move more rapidly than I therefore lutend (he said) to

proceed without legislation and to set up, by administrative acc. to ser up, by administrative act, a representative Northern Ireland Council which, at least faitially, will be composed of persons already elected by the voters of Northern Ireland to other representative bodies: to the Commons, to the European Parliament and to the 26 Northern Ireland District. In the coming weeks and months

I intend to carry forward detailed arrangements for the setting up of this new council, which I hope will convene around the turn of the year. As part of this process, I shall wish to have discussions with representatives of the Northern Ireland political parties, I shall want to take account of their comments in framing the details.

Following that, I intend to present my final processis to Parilla.

sent my final proposals to Parlia-ment in an appropriate form so that there will be an opportunity for consideration. He envisaged a council composed of perhaps 50 representatives from elected sources like MPs, MEPs,

elected sources like MPs, MEPs, and district counciliors.

He intended to invite people to serve after seeking nominations. from the Northern Ireland political parties which have been shown in recent elections to have a substantial following in the Province. Each party would be asked for a specified number of nominations related to their electoral strength.

He would provide appropriate

related to their electoral strength. He would provide appropriate facilities to meet at the Parliament buildings, Stormont. It would be for the council to decide upon its own procedures, including, for example whether it should deliberate in public. Members of the council, invited to serve on that basis, would be paid an attendance allowance. They were outline proposals and he would discuss details with the parties in the coming months.

Mr. Issues Kilfedder (North Down. Mr James Kilfedder (North Down,

Mr James Kilfedder (North Down, UU): The Government is about to embark on a foolish move, creating a body which will be regarded as Castle catholics, paid to acquiesce in government decisions. Mr Atkins said that while not exer-cisine accounting or legislating funcrelative or legislative func-cions, the council would perform a positive role in a number of areas.

First, he would invite it to con-sider and report to him on the activities of the Northern Ireland. Government Departments which covered the range of inacters transferred under the 1973 Constitution

He would expect it to report on other matters be referred to. He would make relevant information



Callagban: Series of

thought might with advantage form representative functional committees to deal with particular rasks.
Second, he would invite the

council to scrutinize proposals for council to scrutinize proposals for legislation affecting Northern Ireland so that the Government could take account of local views before, laying draft legislation before Parliament

He already had settled proce-dures for consulting with in-terested people. Who better to consult on pollucal matters than political representatives? Naturally the decisions on legislation would continue to be taken at Westmins-

ter.
Third, he would invite the council to consider the ruture governing of Northern Ireland and what proposals for the exercise, of executive powers and legislative powers by elected representatives might prove to be acceptable to both parts of the community in the province.

In all aspects of its role, the

In all aspects of its role, the council would be advisory, not executive or legislative.

Naturally, he would, when appropriate, take account of its advice when coming to Parliament with proposals. He would, in doing so, attach particular importance to advice that was unanimous or, falling that, which commanded wide-spread support from representa-tives of both parts of the community.

The advisory council would be

encouraged to adopt procedures that made clear to what extent its views commanded such support. Responsibility for all legislation would remain with Parliament. The Secretary of State would remain responsible to Parliament for the

I shall have consultations with political parties in Northern Ireland over the next few months (he said) and then come back with detailed proposals which I will ask the House to approve, It is essential that this should only proceed with the authority and backing of with the authority and backing of the House, but that could not happen. I think, until the autumn.

Mr Reginald Freeson (Brent, East, Lab): There are discussions, following the Dublin talks, between officials under ministerial guidance. Those are about possible institutional changes between the Is it his intention that this con-sultative council would also be brought into that or have any con-

Mr Atkins : This falls among other matters I might consider referring

We are keeping faith (he said) with the principles we have enunciated consistently since we came to office. We are building on the oundations we have painstakingly laid during that period. They were providing an opportunity. They were prepared to do all they could to build on the opportunity as a way forward. It was for others now to respond. giving the people of Northern Ire-in the meantime, direct rule land complete responsibility for would continue, fairly, efficiently their own affairs.

Northern Ireland people. That was essential for the time being. He hoped to move from this to a point where renewal of direct rule

provisions would no longer be required because new stable governmental institutions had been established in Northern Ireland, accepted by both parts of the com-

manity.
The council would enable the
people of Northern Ireland,
through representatives they had
elected, to have a greater influence on the governance of their ewn province than they had now. It would enable the Government, when taking decisions about Northern Ireland to be even better informed about representative views there than they were at-present.

#### Labour seek review of powers

Mr Dennis Concamon, chief Opposition spokesman on Northern Ireland (Mansfield, Lab), moved an Opposition amendment calling for a wide ranging inquiry into the workings of the Northern Ireland (Emersency Provisions) Act 1978. (Emergency Provisions) Act 1978. He said that now more than ever before it was essential for some initiative in the Province. So long as there was a political vacuum the politics of extremism and fear would thrive.

and fear would thrive.

There was an urgent need for an independent review, as the Opposition had suggested. Their amendment provided a bridge between the two sides.

The Opposition agreed, with a number of reservations, to the extension of the order and direct rule for another 12 months. They deeply desired the resolution of the conflict in Northern Ireland and an end to the sickening violence. They did not accept the notion that immediate withdrawal either of a political or military sture would best serve the ends of peace.

Some proposals put forward were ill thought out and if implemented might result in a tragedy frightening to contemplate. To frightening to contemplate. To those who said: "It cannot get any worse." he would reply: "It can—and a lot worse."

He could not believe that replacing the Army with United. Nations forces or a workers' militia, would bring peace for stability in the Province.

stability in the Province.

For the present the Opposition did not see any immediately available alternative to direct rule. Where two communities were divided by culture and religion as well as by political sympathies, as they were in Northern Ireland, no easy sentement was possible. However, the Opposition did not believe the lack of a realistic option should lead to complacency about direct rule. It was not an answer to the problems of Northern Ireland.

It was legitimate to work

thern Ireland.

It was legitimate to work through political persuasion for either a united Ireland, a Northern Ireland integrated with the United Kingdom or even for a sovereign Northern Ireland.

Some Ulster politicians adopted an intransigent position and would refuse to compromise or even to talk sometimes. It was fruities to demand, a return to the old Stormont regime and bothing else. nothing else.
The constitutional guarantee

was not intended to be used as a veto on political discussion and should not be abused as an excuse for political stagnation by the majority. Under it, there should be givers as well as takers. The time may cope (the said) when we have to look at the written guarantee with a view to widening its ambit, Perhaps, some formal recognition of the dual national sapirations of the people of Northern Ireland would be no bad ming. of Northern iresauce bad riding. Direct rule should work in such Direct rule should work in such that when a settlement have a

flourish.

He welcomed the closer cooperation between London and
Dublin. But the Opposition appear
that the Government would not
allow suspicion and mistrust to
ferment any further by refusing to come clear on what the talks were about. MPs had a right to know the meaning and tenor of the talks.

He stressed that the Labour

He stressed that the Labour Party had not changed its view on the question of political status. It was against granting political status which could never be justified by the motivation claimed by those who sought it.

In asking for, an independent review he did not want to weaken the fight against temprism but thought that the workings of the system of instice, should be examined to see if the present powers were counter-productive. The Opposition regarded the review of emergency provisions as a matter of priority and as soon as the next Labour Government was returned to power there would be a wide-ranging inquiry.

Sir John Biggs-Davison (Epping

Sir. John Biggs-Davison (Epping Forest, C) said they should be told whether there was any machinery in existence within the department or general standing commission for or general szandnig commission for human rights for keeping the work-ing of the Diplock courts and the emergency provisions generally under review. There was concern in the House that they should not

#### Callaghan outlines his way forward

way Mr Atkins's new proposal should not prosper. Northern Ire-land was in stalemate, politically and militarily. What held the Neld were the dual policies of direct rule and persistent firmness and The House might wish to move faster and further now but they had to temper hope with realism their experience of the past two years, and the constraints that they had to recognize, they were proposing a sensible, reasoned way until the IRA had found another forward. pretext to start the cycle again and plunge the people of Northern Ire-land once more back into disrup-tion and death. My case today (he said) is that by case today (in sain) is that Britain should at once begin the process of formulating a new policy based upon that principle, such a policy should provide for a continuous series of separate steps

with the ultimate destination of giving the people of Northern Ire-

and the final step would be that a new Northern Ireland would emerge as a broadly independent state having, in the process, forged a new relationship with London and Diablin

The first step would be a fresh examination at Westminster. Labour was trying to work out a new policy and there was pressure to end bipartisanship. So far as heformal agreement between Government and Opposition, whatever party was in office, and certainly there was strong disagreement between the Government and the Labour Party on the remedies for the economic and social ilis of Northern Ireland.

But he had never seen any advantage in deliberately trying to magnify differences between Government and Opposition on the political future of Northern Ireland if they could, by taking some steps together, relieve any part of the torments.

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Nothing should be excluded from such a debate. At present every fresh discussion was constrained by self-imposed limitations. There was the fear that anything they could do could lead to encouraging the IRA to renewed efforts. They must give no encouragement to them or to any terrories organizathem or to any terrorist organiza-

of the solemn guarantee by statute that Northern. Iteland would remain part of the United Kingdom, so long as the majority so desired. None of these self-imposed limitations could be taken lightly or set aside without the fullest consideration. But circum-stances might arise in which they At the end of the discussions the Government should formulate its new policy and seek the support of Patlament for its general intentions. It should then call the people of Northern freland and their representatives to a convention to hear the intentions. His hope was that if the policy

that emerged at Westminster was that Northern Ireland should in the fullness of time take responsibility for its pwn future, that the Gov-erunent would state to whatever body it called together that it was not the intention of the Westmins-ter Government to produce further proposals, plans or solutions. The people of Northern Ireland would do that for themselves.

They would produce their own plans in the knowledge that they must decide under what constitution they wished to live together, how they would combat terrorism and how they would settle the future of their own country and their own children.

Therefore (he said) I believe that we should begin with a fresh discussion at Wespminster and if the Government were to ask the other parties to join in I hope my party and the other parties would do so.

do so.

Eritain, he went on, would clearly play an important part in this continuing process. They would need to indicate how they would help Northern Ireland to this end.

for example, they would need to give firm undertakings about ful-filling social security obligations like pensions, and about their obligation to support the economy. Clearly, a Northern Ireland citi-zenship was an essential element. Some Northern Ireland citizens already held two passports, one in ace be a citizen of Northern

But Britain should also under-take that if these citizens so chose they would also be British citizens with all the rights of British cit-

What then of the guarantee, he would rightly be asked? His answer was that when the necessary step-by-step process had been completed, in the fullness of time, the guarantee would be transferred from the territory to the people. Everyone who wished to remain a British citizen would be free to do so.

His proposal and similar ones.

so.

His proposal, and similar ones, had been canvassed from time to time. He was sure his speech would be dismissed and attacked by both sides. But he wa strying to get away from sloganizing and to point a possible was forward. possible way forward.

He reminded his critics that for all the successive British Government's commitments, the people of the province still had no prospect of an orderly life in a thriving

of an orderly life in a univing society.

The record of the last 12 years (he said) amply demonstrates the futility of contriving solutions in Westminster which cannot be imposed and, therefore, the time is ripe for the people of Northern Ireland to begin the process of working out their own future.

The Rev Robert Bradford (Belfast, working out their own future.
The Rev Robert Bradford (Belfast, South, Off UU) said Mr Callaghau had couched his argument in almost clerical, if not censorious, tones. These did not, however, vell what was a counsel of despair.

Independence was not an angles.



Bradford: We will not

We will not (he said) be disinherited. We recognize in Ulster that the two greatest political and economic power blocks in the world are so anti-Ulster and proit would be just a matter of time before the political and economic pressures exerted by the EEC and the United States would make Ulster independence; untenable and unworkable. Wes have ample eviden of th fact that America and the EEC treat the island of Ireland as one.

in vact, if not in law.

I find it an incredible statement that the people of Northern Ire-land could remain British, but Us-ter as a territory would not remain within the United Kingdom. How ean one be a citizen without a country? That is precisely what we would be. We in Ulster would be citizens without a country if terri-citizens without a country if territorially and geographically North-



essential ....

rn Ireland ceased to be part of the United Kingdom. :-The altimate deterrent of capital punishment was needed against murderers. Part of the Treason Act 1851 could be put into the schedule of ithe order to achieve that.

There was only one way to bring peace to the province—put the objectives of the IRA beyond their reach. A stinging blow would be be give Northern Ireland a government which relifected that of the United Kingdom, or to take the province fully into the United Kingdom. Mr James Kilfedder (Down, North UU) said there could be a Bill of Rights for Northern Ireland along

the lines of the American constitu tion covering everyone, whatever their religion. A Northern Ireland Council was not the answer as it would be poweriess.

Mr. Stephen Ross (Isle of Wight,
L) said they should consider
whether in some areas they might
be able to bring back the jury
system to allay some legitimate
fears even said legitimate

system to allay some legitimate fears expressed elsewhere.

He had spoken to one of the Maze hunger strikers and asked if there was anything short of special status that would make him end it. When the answer was "No", he When the answer was "No", he asked why and was told: "Because I was sentenced by a special court different to those at normally

forward a talking shop. Mr Atkins should have elected in Northern Ireland a convention and give it clear terms of reference to report on a constitutional future for Northern Ireland. After it had reported Mr. Arkins must put it to the people by a referendum, and let them decide for themselves. Mr David ... Winnick ... (Walsall

North, Lab) said the most effective way of undermining terrorism was way of undermining terrorism was a form of power sharing in North-ern Ireland. If power sharing was agreed to by the British Parliament and was destroyed again, as it was in 1974, Britain should start the process of withdrawing from Northern Ireland.

Mir Brian Mawhinney (Peter-borough C) said they were left only with the possibility of seeking devolution of power to an assem-bly in Ulster which would safe-guard the rights of both commandies, and with which they could

Mr James Molyneaux, leader of the Official Ulster Unionists (South Annim, Off UU) said that they did not work and never had worked for special category in the political sense. They did not refuse to work with needs who hald wirer different category in the political sense. They did not refuse to work with needs who hald wirer different category. with people who held views dif-ferent from their own. There was no movillingness to cooperate with others in areas where cooperation was possible.

There was no more friction in their district councils than there

their district councils than there was in the Greater London Conncil. (Labour laughter.) Ulster MPs. whatever, their views; represented their constituents, impartially. The greatest need for Northern Ireland was stability in the political and saturity senses.

His advice to the Secretary of State would be to exercise patience and start building brick by brick on solid foundations.

Mr William Benyon (Buckingham,

C) said that the long and tortured history of Ireland showed all too clearly that the step by step approach did not work.

The Government could either continue with direct rule or adopt a much more radical approach

which must involve protection of the minority.

Mr Garard Fitt (Belfast, West, Soc) said there had to be a r3view because the Act was draconian legislation. It should be examined from time to time to ensure it was not kept one second longer than protecting. necessary.
There was an opportunity for the

which must involve protection of

Government to set up a council and it had to be such a body otherwise the majority parties would be going to the electorate with different mandates. Mr. Thomas Pendry, an Opposition spokesman on Northern Ireland, (Stalybridge and Hyde, Iab) said direct rule would have to continue nutli there was agreement between the political parties on the best

form of Government for the pro-vince. There could be no coalition or forced withdrawal.

There need be no fear of any future Labour Government bull-dozing the people of Northern Ireland. It would not be deflected from the search for a peacefu

of persuasion and consent tion was clear; they were in favour of direct rule, but the Government must do far better on the economic front. There was a substantial and growing body of opinion which favoured the kind of review the Opposition wanted. They would benefit greatly from a fresh look at

#### Inquiry call rejected by 66 votes

Mr Michael Alison, Minister of Sinte for Northern Ireland (Bark-ston Ash, C) said a strong case might be made for a general inquiry into the Act i nihe context of a changed and dramatically imof a changed and dramatically im-proved security situation as and when the time came. Public confi-dence might then demand nothing less than the sort of wide ranging inquiry that the Opposition had asked for. But the current security situation did not justify any such impairs as the mesent time.

signation and not justify any, such inquiry at the present time.

Mr Callaghan's proposals contained a number of problems and difficulties which would require some mature thought. His initial reaction to Mr Callaghan's idea of fresh discussions at Westminster was that it had an attraction, he was that it had an active only about what he had said.

He got the impression that many

of the Government's critics were not moved by any fundamental disagreement with the Government bur more by disappointment. They did not so much feel that the establishement of a representative council was wrong; rather they were disappointed that the Government did not pursue their pet schemes instead. The Opposition amendment was rejected by 259 votes to 213—Government majority, 66. The Government motion was cerried by 268 votes to 45—Govern-

# EEC heads comprehend Thatcher policy

he was critical of government

Mr Hearh, who made his re-

heath's speech. Most of my fellow heads of government in Europe agreed with the policies we are pursuing (Labour interruptions) and are pursuing the same policies themselves.

Most of them agree that lower inflation will lead to more jobs.

think her European colleagues can understand a policy which Mr Heath describes a incomprehensible? She has to answer to the

House. What does she think of Mr after his speech, with further pub-lic expenditure cuts which will lead to further unemployment and more racial hatred and crime? Mrs Thatcher: My fellow heads of government in Europe understand the policy because many of them follow identical ones. (Labour interruptions) In other words, they are making a top priority of cutting inflation, of laving a firm basis for competitive industry and of secure sood jobs. industry and of secure good jobs

policy.

We are trying to get down pub-lic expenditure so there is more finance available for the private sector. (Renewed Labour inter-

Mr Foot : What did President Minterrand say about her policies ? Mrs Thatcher: He was the one person out of step. (Loud Labour laughter.) Mr Foot may not like it but that is the case.

I have already said that the President of France proposes to the case. increase his deficit to 3 per cent Mr of gross domestic product. Most Nort of us already having deficits beyond that amount could not possibly consider that policy. Our deficit is already 43 per cent of

Mr Hogh Dykes (Harrow, East, C): The parliamentary rabble opposite have no recipes for economic recovery. But its we have an unprecedented large margin of spare capacity in men and material, it is possible to consider certain non-inflationary measures to revive the economy without bringing increased inflation.

Mrs Thatcher: I and many of Mrs Thatcher: I and many of us would like to increase the pro-

portion of public spending public investment. Many of think it would be a better way

pending some money than purting expenditure by the West Midlands good deal of it into increased County Council and the consequent The more we put into increased pay the less there is to spend on

iblic investment. So, there is less available for more jobs. More pay without more output means more unemployment.
Dr David Owen (Plymouth, Devonport, SDP): Mr Heath's proposals for selective expansion are recommended by many in many parts of the country, not least Warrington's electors.

(Laughter)
Some Tory and some Labour
MPs might spend some time on
doorsteps there and would discover that. (Fresh Labour inter-

ruptions).
The Speaker said amid some laughter. The House must listen to points of view it does not like. That is the whole point of being

here.
Dr Owen: Many believe there is an alternative and a case for selective expansionary investment which is nothing to do with the hotch potch of extravagent inflationary expansion recommended by the Opposition.
Mrs Thatcher: Perhaps, unlike Dr Owen and others, on the creation of inflation on top of inflation, I happen to agree with John Maynard Keynes, (Labour laughter)

John may have the series of subtler, no surer means of overturning the existing basis of society than to debauch the currency." Sir Geoffrey Howe, Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he was ear-lier questioned about Mr Heath's speech, said he was proud to serve as a member of the administration led by him, and still shared

entirely the same objectives as Mr Heath.

But like many MPs (the Chancellor went on) I have drawn quite
different conclusions as a result of

Sir Geoffrey Howe said there were



Heath: Speech leads

way. The Government would continue with the present policy of bringing inflation down and lay the foundations for sustainable economic growth. Mir Dennis Canavan (West Stirl-

Mir Dennis Canavan (West Stirlingshire, Lub) had asked: What does he think of the remarks yesterday by Mr Edward Heath about the disastrous social consequences of the Government's monetarist policies especially the social cost of more than 2,500,000 unemployed which could bring racial hatred and juvenile crime?

When we get even an ex-Tory Prime Minister saying that some public spending cuts are more damaging than the saving justified, it is about time even this Tory Chancellor, changed course and tried to regenerate the economy by means of more public investment instead of less.

Sir Geoffrey Howe then replied how he was proud to serve as a member of the Heath administration.

Mir David Winnick (Walsail, Mark Labb.)

David Winnick (Walsall, North, Lab): Mr Heath's speech was the most demaging indictment of the Government's economic policies. Far from an economic recovery being round the corner, there are redundancies, closures and short-time working and British industry is being crippled:

sincustry is being crippied.

Sir Geoffrey Howe: There are many signs, in the opposite sease of what he says, that recovery will shortly be under way. If one looked for causes of redundancy, I found some interesting examples when I visited the West Midlands, including Mr Winnick's constituency, last week.

I found that most businesses in that area were complaining about the increased redundancies following from the planned increase in

tial rate increases.

Ven Music

Mr Peter Shore; chief Opposition spokesman on Treasury and economic affairs (Tower Hamlets, Siepney and Poplar, Lab): The Chancellor has no plans and is not going to announce any new imitative to Referring to his Birmingham speech, what he has envisaged has got nothing to do with the more orderly way of trying to relate pay and prices together, but a reduc-tion in real earnings during this coming year of an unprecedented

three years at a time when there was no matching increase in output at all, real personal earnings rose by 17 or 18 per cent while incomes in the corporate sector fell by 25 per cent. In these circumstance, there must be a matching change As part of the way of securing a reduction in unemployment, there

reduction is unemptyment, mere is an overwhelmingly strong case for pay moderation. Unduly high pay settlements mean unduly high

#### attacked ADVERTISING

Gas and rail

advertising

Advertising campaigns by the British Gas Corporation and British Rail were condemned by Mrs Margaret Thatcher, the Prime Minister, as being non-commercial, politically directed and "a wrong use of public money".

She had been asked by Mr Timothy Eggar (Enfield, North, C) to seek powers to control the dvertising expenditure of the nationalized industries.

Mrs Thatcher replied: It is not kind and the excepti Mr Eggar : Has she noted the disgraceful advertising campaigns mounted by the British Gas Con-poration and British Rail which have political rather than com-mercial objectives? (Conservative

The British Gas Corporation's present campaign is going to cost 52m. That is an anacceptable use of taxpayers' money. Will she take steps to claw back that amount of money through the cash limit Mrs Thatcher : I share his distant

for some of the non-commercial advertising of BR and British Gas, neither of which are commercial and both of which, we believe, are politically directed. In the case of British Rail, the Secretary of State for Transport (Mr Norman Fowler) has made his views known to the BR board. The Minister of State for Consumer Affairs (Mrs Sally Oppenheim) has made her views known to the British Gas board. I think it is a wrong use of public money.

(Conservative cheers.)
Mr Toby-Jessel (Richmond upon Thames, Twickenham, C): While it would be right for British Airways to advertise for custom against other alrilines, it is entirely wrong for British Airways to use money campaigning for a fifth terminal at Heathrow which is clearly against Government policy since the Secretary of State for Trade (Mr John Biffen) has said a fifth terminal at Heathrow should fifth terminal at Heathrow shou

not be built. Mrs Thatcher: A vast amount of advertising is commercial advertising which is not only justified but necessary in order to get the busi-

Parliament today Commons (9.30): Debate on the disabled Lords (11): Disabled Persons (No 2) Bill, report and third reading. Town and Country Planning (Minerals) Bill, Commons

# from 7; per cent to 10 per cent; and various increases in the rate of gaming machine licence duty.

#### TREASURY

Sir Geoffrey Howe (East Surrey, C) said: When at committee stage of the Finance Bill on April 30 1 advised the House to accept the reduction of 10p per gallon in the



Howe: Recouping £85m revenue

taxation on Derv. I made it clear that I would have to recoup the revenue lost in some other way. Although the Budget increases

these matters many MPs suggested these matters many ners suggested that additional revenue should be raised from taxes on gambling. I propose three changes which will together make up the balance of the offsetting measures increases in the off-course rate of general betting duty from 71 per cent to 8 per cent and in the Bingo Duty

of gaming machine licence duty.
These changes will raise about
£20m in the current financial year.
Although I contemplated earlier
that these changes would not take
effect until after the Finance Bill
had become law, I have now
decided that it would be better
to bring them forward. decided that it would be better to bring them forward.

I therefore propose that, subject to the approval of the House, the increases in tobacco duty should take effect on Wednesday, July 8, the increase in general betting duty on Sunday, July 12 and that in bingo duty on Mondey, July 12 and that in bingo duty on Mondey, July 18,

Monday, July 27.

The changes in gaming machine

licence duty must necessarily be delayed for practical reasons and will take effect on October 1. The duty on Derv will thus be reduced by 10p a gallon from 6 pm roday. Mr Peter Shore, chief Opposition spokesman on Treasury and economic affairs (Tower Hamlets, Stepney and Poplar, Lab): He is taking about one tenth of 1 per stelley about one tenth of 1 per cent of total tax revenue.

What makes him, from his past experience, believe that such fiscal fine tuning is in any way available to this Government which overshot the PSBR by £4,500m and is operating in a total fiscal fog brought about by stubbornness, and obduracy?

This is entirely s political gesture on the Chancellor's part. Sir Geoffrey Howe: It would be foolish to change in the objective as though every error would work one way rather than the other.

I made clear on April 30 that the changes would have to be recouped this way.

#### MLR might not be revealed

Sir Geoffrey Howe. Chancellor of the Exchequer, sald during Com-mons questions that discussions on further improvements in monetary control were well advanced. The Bank of England had just issued a final draft. When put into effect (he said) we may keep short-term interest rates within short-term interest rates within an unpublished band and it may then be appropriate to suspend

He was replying to Mr Terence Higgins (Worthing, C) who asked if the Chancellor thought MLR served any useful purpose. Sir Geoffrey Howe said it was Countryside (Scotland) Bill v their intention to enable market read the third time and passed.

forces to play a greater roll in determining interest rates.
It remains our objective (he said) to allow interest rates to fall further, but only as and when circumstances permit.

### Next week

The main business in the House of Commons next week will be: Monday: Debate on flags of con-venience. Deep Sea Mining (Temporary Provisions) Bill, remaining Tuesday: Debate on Defence. Wednesday: Debates on Opposition motions on regional policy and on

terim Period Extension Order and Emergency Powers Continuance

Friday: Debate on new information technologies.
The main business at the European Parliament in Strasbourg will

ne: Monday: Report on British Nationality Bill.

Tuesday: Debate on single meeting place for European Parliament.

Wednesday: Statement by Lord Carrington, President of Council of

Royal Assent was signified to the following Acts: Matrimonial Homes and Property: Industrial Disease (Notification): Food and Crimina Drug (Amendment); Justice (Amendment); (Alcohol Education and Research); Fisheries; Horserace Search); Finetres, Insurance Com-panies; Transport Act 1952 (Amendment); Social Security; Representation of the People.

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Mr James Callaghan, the former Prime Minister (Cardiff, South-East, Lab) said he saw no reason why Mr Atkins's new proposal



# **ECONOMY**

Amid noisy scenes, during which the Speaker had to call more than once for order, the Prime Minister was pressed by Mr Michael Foot, Leader of the Opposition, to say what she thought of yesterday's speech by Mr Edward Heath, the former Prime Minister, in which

Mr Heath, who made his remarks at a London business conference; sar impassive in his sear below the gangway as Mrs Margaret Thatcher defended her policies during loud interruptions from the Opposition.

When Mr Foot asked her what President Mitterrand of France thought of her policies, she retorted that M Mitterrand was the one person among other European heads of government who was out of step " on this.

Mr Foot (Ebbw Vale, Lab) began the controversy when, to Labour cheers, he asked Mrs Thatcher if she had had a chance to study the speech by Mr Heath and his suggestions that the policies of mass unemployment, over which Mrs Thatcher presided, helped to breed trime and racial tension. What did she think of it? Mrs Thatcher (Barnet, Finchley, C): I did see reports of Mr Heath's speech. Most of my fellow

The question is not about the scourge of memployment—we all agree it is a scourge—but about what effective remedies to find. We believe we are going the right way to find them.

Mr Foot : How does Mrs Thatcher think her European colleagues can

industry and of secure good jous in the fitture.

The Chairman of the International Monetary Fund made a similar speech about policies similar to ours, about the importance of monetary policy, the correct balance of monetary and budget-ary policy, and approving our

when The Speaker (Mr George Thomas) complained that he could not bear the Prime Minister, Mrs Thatther commented: This is why Labour MPs find it incomprehen-sible, because they will not listen.

# Cigarettes, bingo and bets tax up

The duty on cigarettes is to go up by 3p on a packet of 20 from next Wednesday, Sir Geoffrey Rowe, Chancellor of the Exchequer announced in reply to a question. The duty on Derv is to cut by 10p a gallon immediately and duties on off course betting and bingo are to be increased.

Sir Geoffrey House (East Spream



Although the Budget increases in tobacco dury were substantial, I have concluded that most of the extra revenue needed should come from that source. I therefore propose dury changes equivalent to an extra 3p on the price of a pecket of 20 cigarettes, together with comparable increases on other tobacco products. These changes will raise about £65m in the current fimancial year. When the House considered

publication of minimum lending

higher education.
Thursday: Debate on the Army.
Priday: Private Member's Bills.
Abolition of Warrant Sales (Scotland) Bill and Hotels and Restaurants (Control of Service Charges) Bill, second readings.
The main business in the House of Lords next week will be:
Monday: Education Bill, committee. Tuesday: British Nationality Bill, committee.
Wednesday: Iron and Steel Bill, third reading. Transport Bill, continuation of report stage.
Thursday: Criminal Attempts Bill, third reading. Northern Ireland Interior. Besied Expension Order and

Thursday: Statement on 1982 Com-munity budget. House of Lords

Representation of the Persion Schemes): Whitehaven Harbour and Greater London Council (General Powers.) The report stage of the Transport Bill was begun and adjourned.
The Indecent Displays Bill and

Anything other than commercial advertising is most undesirable and I agree with Mr Jessel.

justify the jaundiced view of his black comedy S.O.B. He started work there as an actor 40 years ago, and long before that, in 1914, he had an uncle who was a distinguished director in silents.

S.O.B. is a movie d city; and

Slents.

S.O.B. is a movie d cleft and people in the know say it is much, much funnier if you can identify the real-life originals of these producers, directors, agents, starlets, actors, hoolers, press-men and yes-men. Less informed audiences may well find it hard to believe in a society where people, down to the last man, share such bad months, bad morals and bad manners, and wallow in their multi-million dollar vulgarity. It is not easy to make comedy where everyone is so repugnant. The only nice person in the picture is a dog who spends the film looking after the corpse of his master, an old forgotten actor who has dropped dead of a coronary on the beach. Nobody else in Hollywood has time to bother.

The worst of it is that it all

The worst of it is that it all

rings true, or at least truish—
even the story of the director
who makes the all-time \$30
million flop, buys it back from
the studio and reshoots it as

soft-core porn to hit the jackpot. There are some funny

packpot, there are some runny barbed lines and rather less successful knockabout. Generally it is funnier the straighter it is played: Robert Webber's dyspeptic press agent, Shelley Winters's ruthless agent, William Holden's libidimous director and above all the admirable Robert Preston's special-services physician.come

special-services physician come off very much better than the overdoing of Richard Mulligan in the central role, or Loretta

Swit as a vicious gossip columnist.

Pan star who turns Emannuelle for the good of the grosses: when she finally bares her breasts, she does it with the awesome deliberation of some-

Julie Andrews is the Peter

ACVERTISING

# Now is the time for tales and heroes



The enchantress Morgana-(Helen Mirren) and the cerie boy Mordred (Robert Addie)

Cinema

Empire

Theatre

S.O.B (AA)

Leicester Square

Warner West End

Eyes of a Stranger (X)

All the recent biggest box office successes—the Star Wars cycle and Superman cycle among them—have been fantastic tales of super-heroes. Even James Bond (and they're queuing all day in Leicester Square) is really a mythological invincible in modern dress: the element of wonder is now much more important in the series

element of wonder is now much more important in the series than the earlier pseudo-sophistication of political thriller.

Hollywood promises a whole new series of what is called in the trade "sword and sorcery" pictures. John Boorman's Excalibur (technically, I suppose, an Irish film since it was shot there, on location and in the National Studios) is a monumental harbinger.

Excalibur (AA)

Warner West End

Clash of the Titans

New Music Studio. Budapest

Riverside

Concerts

Not much new music has come out of Communist Hungary into Western Europe, but enough to show that Bartok and Kodaly have their descendents down to the second or third generation. The current week of Hungarian music at Riverside Studios in Hammersmith is mostly concerned with executant artistry, but it did last night include a programme of recent vanguard music given by an established group of performers and composers who regularly present such concerts, at home or on tour, usually including music from other countries, I understand.

They brought six pieces by six composers to Riverside, four of them among the six performers. Young Hungarian composers seem fascinated by the Ostinato school of Steve Reich. Phil Glass, Mike Oldfield, David Bedford and Terry Riley. Each of those composers were known here, has produced jat least one meritorious piece in the repetitive style, and perhaps their Hungarian brothers also have. They didn't bring them to Hammersmith.

First came Zsolt Serei's

Hammersmith.

First came Zsolt Serei's "Tale": a piano, prepared so as to simulate the lute stop on the harpsichord, played an irregular, moderately paced Ostinato, with punctuation from an unprepared normal piano, and occasional paragraph-spacing by solo viola, change of colour rather than contribution to the design. It was plain, but did not outstay its welcome. Gyula outstay its welcome. Gyula Csapo's "Little Bird" (Madarka Csapo's "Little Bird" (Madarka in Hungarian) sets two drummers in front of two pianos: they scratch designs on the drumskins, confirming each result with a note on the piano, rather like itemizing purchases on a shop's cash register. The drum scratches were amplified through loudspeakers: an activity, perhaps a contest, but not music, to my ears.

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Laszlo Sary's "Pentatonic Exercise", for two pianos, one electronic, persisted doggedly in Ostinato, hypnotic for a while, afterwards dull because the music got no farther, yet went on and on. Barnabas Dukay played his "Sun-flowers", a piano piece consist-ing of common chords and ing of common chords and single notes separated by long pauses, lengthy and barren: the chords, after a while, became a sort of musical quiz: yes, that's our national anthem; and this is Chopin's military Polonaise, and what's that dominant 7th?

— of course, one of Beethoven's symphonies

of course, one of Beethoven's symphonies.
Laszlo Vidovsky's Solo with instumental obbligati did offer contrast: Sandor Papp, on the viola, played an extended melody in folk-style, while others accompanied, sometimes substantially so it seemed context of musical famine. It was the least exacerbating item. was the least exacerbating item in a truly maddening concert: music can be as outrageous as it likes, but duliness is the

William Mann

Theatre

The Misanthrope

Arriving in London barely a

month after its opening at the Manchester Royal Exchange, Casper Wrede's production renews its powerfully unfashionable argument for reviving foreign classics without hitching them to yesterday's news.

The performance springs from a single-minded conviction that Molière knows his business and can do without directorial footnotes. The style is that of an enlarged studio show played in the round with three ornate doorways and a few silver furnishings. And Richard Wilbur's translation has clearly

bur's translation has clearly been chosen for its metrical and

comic faithfulness to the author, even if it is over 20 years old (National Theatre, please note).

The only joke that is not

Molière's own is made in Malcolm Pride's costumes which begin modestly enough with Alceste's green ribbons, and then take off into a beribboned and bejewelled orgy of Beardslevian extravagance

of Beardsleyian extravagance that reaches its climax in the

The Hollow Crown

The Hollow Crown has never quite been away. Revivals around the world have kept

John Barton's royal compilation

John Barton's royal compilation alive, passing on from company to company with more persistence than real crowns. The glamour of the present tevival, in tandem with the Terry Hands celebration of love, Pleasure and Repentance, is patently a bow to the royal wedding, but I would like to think it is also a sort of support for the Fortune Theatre which has suffered enough ill-fortune in the past few years to be placed on the market.

the sweet intimacy of the theatre is just right for the Royal Shakespeare Company's clear expressivity of his voice to the singing.

While the material might seem stale in lesser hands, at least to those who have seen earlier productions, the company seems intent on exploring

Fortune Theatre

Round House

### LMP/Blech/Szeryng

### Festival Hall

To conduct or not to conduct? For all Harry Blech's sterling work with the London Mozart Players, for all the pitfalls and pedantry to which conductorless baroque and classical performances are prone, for most of Wednesday night the rostrum might well have been

one of the first of Papa Haydn's vast symphonic off-spring, the little three-movement Symphony No 1 in D, was, in its 1759 premiere, directed by Haydn from the harpsichord. Transported from Count Morzin's palace to the Festival Hall in's palace to the Festival Hall it gained a conductor and a considerable number of strings; the result was that the work, halayed. the result was that the work, albeit immaculately played, seemed genteel beyond its years, lacking both the invigorating interplay of chamber performance and the fresh, open air colouring of the barely audible two oboes.

Haydri's "first" was complemented by Mozart's last in a performance of the Symphony No 41, more inspiring in the notion than in the execution; and the two symphonies framed

and the two symphonies framed two violin concertos: Bach's in A minor and Mozart's in G (K

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From the moment that he asked the violinists to move closer to him, it was clear that Henryk Szeryng was to be as much director as soloist in the Bach an authorizative but uninspiring teacher schooling obedient but uninspired pupils; in the Mozart a master-guru

in the Mozart a master-guru challenging players and audience alike to reexamine and recharge their sensibilities.

If the outer movements of the Bach, overweight and rhythmically laborious, bore down the obbligate-like character of the solo writing, the slow movement gave a foretaste of that introspective solo playing in introspective solo playing in which the very quality of sound which the very quality of souther itself was nurtured and grew slowly out towards each orches-tral tutti, and which was to reach its apotheosis in the

Mozart.

Here again Szeryng as much as Blech seemed to be in charge, watching and listening hawk-like for the particular character of each section's entry, and then matching its movement and timbre, from a resinous, woody strength to a birdlike, piping sweetness. Yet this was paradoxically, and fascinatingly, in many ways an intensely private, inward performance, the slow movement's music freshly spun as if from music freshly spun as if from Mr Szeryng's own deep imaginings, the secrets of the last seeming almost too precious to squander.

It was a performance which made the more poignant and thought-provoking, too, the knowledge that this work was written only 16 years after the Haydn symphony, and by a man eight years his junior.

mental harbinger.

If the world is looking for heroes, there are few more suitable than King Arthur, whose lustrous rule of a glorious, ideal Britain has been whose lustrous rule of a glorious, ideal Britain has been a recurrent vision since the Middle Ages. John Boorman, who wrote the screenplay with Rospo Pallenberg, has taken his version mainly from Malory, reinterpreting, though, in his own literary and visual style.

Without compromising the magical elements of the story, he sees his characters in realistic terms. Arthur, brought up a squire, is a simple yokel who learns only gradually the grace and eventually the majesty of kingship. Merlin, though his magic is real enough, is a tricky old buffoon, full of jests and regret for the passing of the age of wizardry. Apart from the demonic Morgana (Heien Mirren), women in this mediaeval world are required only to be fair and faithful and in the background. Knights, when they're not busy with chivalry, tend to be boozy, belligerent braggarts.

At first the effect of the modern dialogue (but who dare say what was the conversational mode at Camelot?), of bringing the figures of myth down to familiar earth, is disconcerting. There is rather a lot of

roistering (with some unlikely speculation at a neo-oriental style for Arthurian dancing girls) and the clash of iron against iron in bloody close combat — recalling inevitably Monty Python's trip to the Grail. There are memories of other films: Boorman must have admired Bresson's Lancelot du Lat and the spectacle of Kurosawa's Kagemusha.

Once the style and premises are established though, myth takes over and the film soars above all such comparison. Boorman reveals a wonderfully individual gift for embodying the mystical and the magical. Set pietes like the crystalline cavern where Morgans incarcerates the too gullible Merlin may look like designers' contrivances. It is rather out of the dark land and forests, mists, the light sparkling off Excalibur or blinding the seekers of the Grail that Boorman creates his real wonders.

The magic takes off with the first appearance of Lancelot as an apparation in shimmering white. After that the film abounds with visions: the nightmare of a naked Lancelot

fantastically gilded and plumed outfit of the Marshalses guard, a four-line part.

With Tom Courtenay in the lead breaking all the rules of the surrounding polite society, this is not a company show; but

one of its great pleasures is the shared work of a company who are not afraid of rhymed couplets. With one (otherwise well acted) exception they convert the prison of metre into

well acted) exception they convert the prison of merre into dramatic energy, getting their punch lines and their pauses from it, testing its elasticity for conversation inflexions, and using it to make the play dance.

The stage even suggests a ballroom floor, with Nicholas Amer's ballencally dignified Basque resetting the chairs for each new number. Each scene is formally choreographed; with the two idiot marquesses. (Ian Hastings and Tim McInnerney) arriving in mincing march rhythm, and delivering their backbiting pleasanties through clenched-teeth smiles; or Janet Ellis's virtuously reserved Eliante standing up and circling the group as she delivers her modest defence of amorous compromise. The transitions are also beautifully marked; as between Arsinoe's (Amanda Boxer's) vitriolic courtesies to Celimene, which give way to knee-trembling desire as soon as Alceste sets foot in the room.

relaxed presentation of the assembled comments on and by Britain's past monarchs. Depending on the other RSC

wrestling with his own armour the fallen Lancelot and Guine-vere, naked again; half-glimpsed

the fallen Lancelot and Guinevere, naked again; half-glimpsed in a misty wood; ravens pecking out the eyes of Morgana's knightly victims; the cerie boy Mordred (Robert Addie); the last battle, fogged with the dragon's breath.

It is a world where, in the proper style of myth, ordinary notions of time and place are willingly forgotten. We do not know or wonder if a quest takes seven years or seventy. Heroes do not age and die as ordinary men. Here, people can travel and see and speak in dreams.

The force of the visions is the belief that they impose, and which appears to come from the film makers' own total faith in their story. The old tales are told on their own terms, without the distance of detachment or unbelief; and they prove in the telling to have lost none of the power they have exerted on listeners for a thousand years.

it helps the illusion, of course; to have a cast so refreshingly free of well-known faces, demystified by familiarity. Only the wizards Merlin

Except when dealing with her and with Geoffrey Bateman's brillianty funny carpet-gnawing Oronte (the two most unappetizing characters). Mr Courtenay offers a relenilessly hostile portrait of Alceste. Its disadvantage is that it leaves you wondering why so many people admire him. But theatrically if its a smerth exposure of

people admire him. But theatri-cally it is a superb exposure of a soured narcissist. Courtenay has two main roices. The first is one of weary stoical despair, telling us that he knows this wicked world and it has no more surprises for him; Eyore at the court of Louis XIV.

The other is one of mad-bull

The other is one of mad-bull outrage, which farcically contradicts his posture of philosophic superiority. Held in check for the first half, it bursts out when he imagines. Celimene has betrayed him. "Avenge me madam," he bawks, rampaging into the delicate scene between Philinte (Christopher Gable) and Eliante before falling blubbering at her feet. It is very cruel, and volcanically comic.

What the production lacks is a Celimene. Cecilis Richards looks like a Wattean nymph, but when it comes to charm and caprice, she leaves the assorted lovers like brightly coloured unoths without a candle flame.

every cranny of the writing. They slip into playful charac-terizations, of which none is more playful than Miss Leigh-

Irving Wardle

and Morgana are played by established stars; and since magicians are hams anyway, it doesn't matter that it is Nicol Williamson and Helen Mirren doing their turns. Nigel Terry masters the transformation of the awkward young Arthur to the regal older one; Nicholas Clay is a handsome Lancelot and Paul Geoffrey an interesting Irish-rostic Perceval.

With such a fresh, original, wholly individual reinterpretation of the legend, it is hard to comprehend the curious decision to introduce quotations from Wagner in the musical score. Discordant as they are with the rest of Trevor Jones's score — which includes quite interesting experiments with the sounds of inedieval music — they intrude, much worse, a they intrude, much muste, a wholly different, opposing and too assertive interpretation of the Arthurian legend.

Perseus, if you like to be pedantic, must have been half brother to King Arthur. When that reckless old forger Geoffrey of Monmouth was cobbling together the old tales in the twelfth century, he stole the story of Arthur's conception (with Merlin's aid, Uther Pendragon assumes the shape of Igraine's husband to get into her bed) from Zeus's deception on the wife of Amphytrion. And Zeus, in the course of another amorous adventure, begat Persons

sens.

The Clash of the Titans, a very free retelling of the Perseau legend, is a more innocent and traditional sort of movie — indeed it falls by chance into the well-established reterms of Indian mythological. patterns of Indian mythological films, with a rabble of very. human Immortals sitting up in their Olympus, battling over the destinies. of the Mortals

These Gods are a distinguished group of thesplans:
Lord Olivier as a sly Zeus;
Maggie Smith (whose husband Beverley Cross wrote the worksday script) crotchety as ever as Thetis; Clair Bloom as Hera and Ursula Andress as

Down on earth, tossed this way and that by their whims, is Perseus, played by Harry Hamlin, who looks as if he would be a demon in the forward line of a college

football team. He looks a bit slow-witted too, but has Bur-gess Meredith as his confidant

gess Meredith as his contribute and adviser, the actor Ammon.

The actors though take second place to the special effects, supervised by an old master of the craft, Ray Harryhausen, who learned his trade at the knee of Willis O'Brien, creator of King Kong himself. There is a pleasant hand-crafted quality about these old-style stop-action effects that one who knows that this is indeed a moment of motion picture history. picture history.

The good thing about Eyes of a Stranger — made by the same production group as Friday the 13th — is that a very few pictures like this might effect the speedy demise of the current horror cycle. With a rapacious and bloody sex killer and a lady TV newscaster who stalks him with energy but remarkably little intelligence, it goes zombie-like through all the motions of the genre. old-style stop-action effects that is not found in the more sophisticated techniques of recent science fiction films. The ancient world offers a lot of scope: there is graceful Pegasus, a knock-about comedy owl and a Bette Midler lookalike Medusa. It is touching to-recognize the voice of Dame motions of the genre. Flora Robson emerging from one of the three grotesque Graeze, with their single, shared crystal eye. The final quarry who (accord-

The press show demonstrated that it is a great entertainment for the very young; and 12-year-olds evidently thrill to the couple of brief and fairly chaste nude scenes.

Blake Edwards has clearly seen enough of Hollywood to

the tinal quarry who (according to formula) does for the killer is, in this distasteful film, a blind deaf-mute; and it seems a dubious moral for the Year of the Disabled that a dose of sexual assault quite cures the disabilities that have defied all the efforts of conventional medicine. **David Robinson** 

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Swan Lake

# False steps at home and abroad

#### Coliseum

Luckily, Swan Lake can be sure to fill the theatre, whatever the production is like. And the crowds who flock to the Coliseum this week and next have one thing to look forward to; Rudolf Nureyev in a role he has not danced here for some

Forget the odd costumes he has to wear, his first one, as a Wertherish student type, actually suits him particularly well, and the later one, a conventional nondescript ballet tunic and tights, is more or less unobjectionable once he is allowed to remove the close and allowed to remove the cloak and hat he first has to wear over it. Clearly, Prince Siegfried imagined wrongly that mummy was giving a costume ball, and dressed up as Ludwig of Bavaria.

· What matters most, however

What matters most, however, is the dancing, and nobody knows more than Nureyev about how to present a classical solo to make sure that you really see in structure, and to bring out its meaning too. He has sensibly brought with him into the Hoston Baller's production his own melancholy slow dance for the first act (usually, I am told, they dance a number vaguely based on it) and the version of the third act bravura solo, which he has followed since his Kirov days.

Last night he danced both of them elegantly, clearly and with feeling, and those qualities appeared also in his acting, whatever oddities were happening around him, and in his partnering of Boston's French Odette-Odile, Marie-Christine Mouis. All the same, it was sad to see him appearing in what is frankly a very poor production with a company which, on this showing, is not ready for international exposure.

Although advance publicity

Depending on the other RSC programmes each night, there will be different actors to speak, and sing, the material, but such is the depth of the company's strength that actors on future nights will include Richard Pasco, Michael Pennington and Janet Suzman.

Those who were there on the opening night to speak the words of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn, of Horace Walpole and Fanny Burney and the others, were Alan Howard, Barbara with his Counterblast to Tobacco and carnally sending a secret memorandum about a proposed flear expressivity of his voice to the singing.

While the material might to seem stale in lesser hands, at heast to those who have seen throughout the summar. international exposure.

Although advance publicity indicated that the production was by Violette Verdy, she turns out to be responsible only for the choreography of the two Ned Chaillet



Rudolf Nuryev and Marie-Christine Mouis lakeside scenes: a wishy-washy approximation to the standard Ivanov version of Act 2, although with disconcerting accents and fluffed details; and a treatment of Act 4 that begins as would-be lyricism and ends as a fudged drama.

The other two scenes have The other two scenes have choreography by Bruce Wells. Its general shape again follows more or less traditional lines, but he has made a thoroughgoing new treatment of every dance, generally with appalling consequences. The one thing you can say in its favour is that it, proves the dancers to have lots of energy, which they exercise unstintingly. But do not expect style, sense or not expect style, sense or musicality, or you will be disappointed.

Which of the two choreogra-phers was responsible for the general concept of the pro-duction is not revealed, but in fact its total effect is influenced less by either of them than by the extraordinary choice of Julia Trevelyan Oman as designcr. For the unusual nature of Ashton's Enigma Variations (which was originally her idea anyway) she invented a splendid decor, but her unimaginatively semi-realistic manner is disastrous in the context of this

She gives the ballet its coup de grace by dressing the villain, Von Rothbart, as a giant, feathery, paunchy, po-faced owl. All he can do in that costume is stand about sadly or flap his wings reproachfully, as if

trying to protest at unseemly behaviour in his woods. We all know that the original libretto specified an owl's form for him, but that has to be interpreted a lot less literally if he is to have any menace at all.

In a different production, I imagine that the Boston company's extremes of types among its dancers might be interesting they come in a wider range of heights, shapes and ages than most classical ballet companies. The one thing they seem to share, unfortunately, is a lack

of polish, and especially of musicality.

That is surprising in a company with Verdy, the most musical of all dancers, as joint musical of all dancers, as joint director, and perhaps her influence in the long term will permeate them. On last night's showing, their musical direction is not what might be desired; Michel Sasson seemed determined to show just how briskly all the fast tempi could be taken, and to spin out the slower passages almost beyond belief.

belief.

Marie-Christine Mouis made an acceptable, if flashy and inexpressive, Odile. She seems less suited to the lyrical scenes for Odette, the other half of the double role, and nowhere did she reveal the quality she showed when she danced showed when she danced MacMillan's Song of the Earth in Paris. Everyone else danced energetically, but the acting throughout was sadly heavy-handed.

John Percival

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Fake?

BBC 2

I don't know much about art but I know what I like and that is a tale about the art experts getting had by some cunning forger. And this was just the sort of story Edwin Mullins seemed to have last night on BBC. 2. Was Georges de la Tour's famous Fortune Teller, owned by the Metropolitan Museum in New York, a genuine work of the seventeenth century French artist or had someone run it up in a had someone run it up in a garret somewhere? And if it were a fake was it part of some worldwide conspiracy or simply a joke as the word merde haif concealed on one of the figures made some experts think?

The normally easy-going but quite earnest Edwin Mullins had a marvellous time with this had a marvellous time with this one. I suppose it was a bit like Hamlet getting a chance to play the clown. He adopted a low-pitched, breathless voice reminiscent of Edgar Lustgarten, the video sleath of yesteryear who used to reconstruct famous crimes. Mullius did not give us the answer to the title's question until the very end. Instead he brought in the warring sides, the art historian, Christopher Wright and the costume expert Diana de Larly to say that the picture was a fake. Mr Wright attacked the awkwardness of the figures. Miss de Larly said one of the figures was wearing a zipperfastened coat.

fastened coat.
To top it all a Mr. Patrick O'Connor, an Irish art expert, claimed he had seen his friend George actually painting the picture in New York in the 50s.

And where was the mysterious. Frenchman who discovered the picture gathering dust in a spare room in the late 40s? Well, the defence came in. Professor Michael Kitson of London University said the Wright were quite common. John Brealey, an Englishman now at the Metropolitan, said the word merde was just one of those jokes restorers are always

. . . . .

throughout the summer.

A Picture restorer friend of his, he said, used to paint tiny bicycles at the feet of crucifires. Mrs Stella Blum of the Metropolitan showed us seven-teenth century paintings with clothes just like the de la Tour. Chemical tests showed the picture was old. Then Mullins, playing the large and process of the process. playing the 'tec, went to France and traced the mysterious Frenchman who turned out to be a Count Jacques Celler. He

showed Mullins a dusty ledger, an inventory done of the family castle in 1879 with the de la Tour mentioned and valued at a mere 250 francs.

Meanwhile back in Florida, Mullins located Paddy O'Connor who said he had seen the painting painted. O'Connor said he was just telling lies while having a few and that that lie was not a patch on the tale he liked to tell of how he himself and the painted a Volcauer at the are painted a Velasquer at the age of 12 to replace the one stolen from Madrid and how old King Alfonzo patted him on the back and said how he liked it much better than the first coe. Fake? was altogether first rate entertainment and perhaps said a lot as well about the art world, although I don't think the art world would like what it had to

Stanley Reynolds Some of the reviews on this page are reprinted from yesterday's later editions

# Why Ulster cannot afford to go it alone

King George V opened the Stormont Assembly in Northern Ireland. On the day that he did, The Times editorial spoke of a new addition to the Empire. The clear belief was that a new independent independent state was coming in to existence. So

yesterday's call by the former Premier James Callaghan for a move towards Ulster independence is not such a new idea; he is re-opening a book which has lain closed for Those years, particularly

the most recent of them, have seen a profound change in the Ulster economy. Could Northern Ireland take its place in the world as an in-dependent state? The answer is not yet; it will take many years to undo the ravages of the 1970s. Any move towards separating Ulster from the United Kingdom would have to be accompanied by a longterm committment to provide development assistance. Some of the money could

prepared to witness a huge cit equivalent to virtually a drop of living standards in third of the "country's" the North.

At present, Northern How has this come about? Treland gets a direct subsidy The answer is that two forces from the United Kingdom of have been at work producing

In fact the true cost to the ards. rest of Unite
higher than £780m.
are extra payments for pensions (specially mentioned by Mr Callaghan) which take the total up to £1,000m a year. Throw in the cost of law and order and the rices to £1500m a year, the total of rest of United Kingdom is The chart shows how higher than £780m. There Ulster's industry has colpublic spending in Northern industries started to run into sity is the explosive growth

argument any weaker.

The classic case against

sionals. Good relations be-

tween states means the

ducing and working in this

rather clinical environment.

Heads of government, with

their massive egos, their

ignorance of the essential

details and their ingrained

belief in the value of back-slapping ambiguity, simply

Things appear to be made

even worse under the eye of

nify regimes; everything is expected of them, and a failure reduces the credibi-

lity of government and even

of the state itself. Since this

cannot be allowed, every

summit meeting must be a

"success" for each of its members. That being norm-

ally impossible, even with

the aid of the most bland and

skilful communiqués, the in-

mess everything up.

The fifteenth-century diplomatist, Philippe de Commines wrote that two great princes who want to establish good relations should never as we move into a summer

meet face to face. The and autumn of hectic summajority of officials in the mitry. An EEC summit took

world's foreign ministries place this week; this month the "big seven" economic tum—and the substitution of 15 or 150 "princes" for two certainly does not make the "Laly, Canada and Japan—taly commons.

The classic case against wealth prime ministers meet summit conferences is that in Melbourne in September;

diplomacy is a job for profes- there is a big north-south

accommodation of conflicting European Council (chaired

interests; and accommoda- this time by Mrs Thatcher)

tion means clear understand- comes around again. Can all

ings couched in precise lan-guage and unclouded by thing, or is it likely to be

guage and unclouded by thing, or is it likely to be considerations of personal amity or hostility. Trained of frustration and hypodiplomats are capable of pro-

modern communications. prospect of achieving any Heads of government perso-serious advance (on EEC

dividual summiteer must Government has not the

Britain.

If the North were an come from other members of independent state, it would the European Community, be running the biggest trade but the rest of Britain would deficit in the world for its have to accept that it would size. In 1978, the last date pay subsidies to an indepen- for which figures are availdent country unless it was able, there was a trade defi-

How has this come about? £780m for its 11m people. ever increasing subsidies That works out at just over from London to the North. £500 per head or £10 a week The first in the disintegrafor every man, woman and tion of the manufacturing child in the province. That base of the Ulster-economy. sum is almost exactly the The second is pressure same as the gap between within the province and in living standards in the North the rest of the United Kingand those in the Republic. dom to raise living stand-

chart shows how Ireland being paid for by a problems, manufacturing re- of the public sector. The would not be able to pay for parts of Britain. The result

as we move into a summer

meet at Ottawa; the Common-

in October; and after that the

On the face of it, the pros-

pects range from poor to

horrible. Indeed so far as

practical agreement is con-

cerned, there can scarcely

ever since the last war have

been a less auspicious moment for meeting. Of the West-West summits (Luxem-

bourg, Ottawa, London) only

the last has the slightest

linance). Otherwise the com-

bination of new incumbents

(Reagan, Mitterrand, Suzuki,

Spadolini), shaky govern-ments (Schmidt, Spadolini

and Suzuki) and the sheer

difficulty of the economic

outlook make progress vir-

the Ottawa agenda, for in-

stance. The United States

Take the main subjects on

tually impossible,

mained the backbone of the Ulster economy, the thing which distinguished it from the agricultural South.

In 1960, over 40 per cent of all the jobs were in manu-facturing and although the 1960s saw a drop in the number of manufacturing jobs, the level of output in the province rose impressively. All that stopped in the

early seventies. Much of the setback has been caused by recession in the rest of the United Kingdom, though the troubles have made it harder to get manufacturers to set up. Although grants are gen-erous and many jobs are subsidized, the Republic has offered aid packages which are often more attractive and has had none of the prob-

lems of further North. Yet in spite of this rundown of industry, which by 1979 was down to little more than a quarter of all jobs, the total amount of employ-ment in Ulster has gone up. The reason, as was pointed out recently by Bob Row-thorn\* of Cambridge Univer-

in response to calls from the

In the case of the North-

South summits (Melbourne

and Mexico) even less is

the developed countries to all forms of intervention

combines with fears of global

inflation and simple shortage

of cash at a time of drastic

economic emergency to pro-

duce a climate extremely

hostile to any kind of devel-

to Mexico and read the riot

acr to the developing world

for the edification of his

home constituency, or he

may, more likely, try to be-have in a smooth, avuncular

fashion. Either way the

result will be the same-dis-

appointed hopes and much

ent gentlemen (and ladies)

intend to go gallivanting about the globe in this way instead of minding their

domestic base or, better still,

bringing down their blood

pressure on the beach? The

answers are not all equally Alliance.

Why then do these emin-

President Reagan may go

opment assistance.

recrimination.

Europe.

number of government jobs the quality of public ser-went up by half during the vices which have grown up seventies, a much bigger growth than in the rest of the United Kingdom.

xpensive. The cost of the British subsidy to Northern Ireland doubled between 1968 and 1978 even after the effects of inflation are taken out. But it was an essential part of the approach to the problems adopted by successive governments.

Since Ulster was part of Britain, it was indefensible that the standard of public services in the province should be lower than in the rest of the United Kingdom. So there have been huge increases in spending on health, education and other social services.

These improvements in the standards of service have created jobs to replace those wiped out in manufacturing. But they have not always provided jobs of the kind which those made redundant from the textile mills could

independent Ulster Àπ

The first and perhaps least

man is pounding on the top

This is particularly true of

moral pressure to bear on their OECD colleagues in this

way providing they do not

the leaders of the developed

countries can occasionally

expect to change each others

minds on specific questions

in dispute, and in hard times,

praise virtue and still get

away with it. For instance, it is the educated consensus

of the developed world that

free trade is good and protec-tion is bad. On the other

hand that is not the percep-

tion of a hundred different

The assertion that higher

groups and lobbies in every

tariffs would harm the general good is far easier if

proclaimed in excelsis, by

the united leaders of the

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country.

A better reason, also poli-

it is always worth a shot.

table, on their behalf.

Do summits only lead to trouble at the top?

David Watt

slightest intention of lower- good, but they are all, none

Europeans, and in any case reputable is the necessity of

the Europeans (as was seen being seen to "do some-in Luxembourg) are divided thing.". It may in the long

on the subject. Similarly the run be disillusioning if the Japanese will, with the ut-rulers of the earth take

most politeness, evade all counsel together to deal with

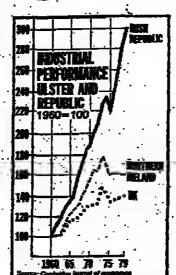
attempts to get them to im- some emergency and nothing pose restraints on their whatever ensues, but in the

torrential" exports to short run it is reassuring to

likely to emerge. Fashion- the developing countries,

able ideological opposition in who can in fact bring a little

ing American interest rates the less, compelling. .



One of the few flourishing industries in Northern Ireland: an engineer at Shorts of Bel-fast working on the Commuter 360 airliner, which made its first flight recently,

over recent years which is it has not been able to pursue far higher than that in the an independent exchange South-unless it got con- rate policy of its own. Paying for this has been tinuing aid. The problem it would face is that whatever the good intentions, it is unlikely that a United Kingdom which is certain to face economic difficulties throughout the 1980s would country with which it had severed links.

Nor could Ulster probably afford to go on with such high living standards for those who have jobs. One of the major campaigns of trades unions during the 1970s has been to achieve equal pay with workers in Great Britain.

They have not got there yet, but they are a lot closer than they were 15 years ago. So at a time when Britain as a whole has been pricing itself out of world markets, Northern Ireland has been becoming a more expensive place in which to make things compared with other

the one the classic doctrine

dismisses: namely the oppor-

tunity to know the mind of the person in charge of another country—and one that no theory ever mentions

at all—the chance to think

This penchant is in part a matter of membership in a

rather exclusive club; it is

also, on occasion, a matter of

relaxation. The main point,

however, is the fact that most

modern presidents and prime

ministers are at normal times

The task of day-to-day administration and political

international scene beyond

the immediate crisis issue, it

is mainly through the eyes of

their own senior civil serv-

ants. To be obliged to exam-

ine a strategy through the

eyes of people who have equal

some stage necessary to rely

is an essential contribution

of their political intelligence.

most summits in today's con-

ditions is not that they serve

no useful purpose. It is rather that they are usually badly organized for the pur-

pose that they serve best.

being so often expected to

resolve ad hoc disputes,

blaze of publicity.

The trouble, then, with

remarkably blinkered.

way providing they do not management presses on overplay their hand. Even them, and if they look at the

tical, is the opportunity a but different responsibilities

summit gives a leader to and on whom it may be at

about longer term issues.

The majority of the politicians who actually attend summits do not, of course, often own to either of these motives. Most will tell you that the chief value is in fact the politicist of the politicism of the po

has been rising industrial subsidies of which the re-current hand-outs to Harland and Wolff are the most famous example. If these were to be cut off, many of the manufacturing jobs which still exist would be in immediate jeopardy.

The hope for Ulster in that sort of situation would have to be that it could achieve some of the same sort of growth which its southern neighbour has known over the past decade.

rency, probably tying it to the Irish punt, which is now worth only 80p, after years in which it was linked to the pound. That might not be a bad thing in any case for a country which has over 17 per cent unemployment-one the disadvantages to Ulster of its membership of

the United Kingdom has that

should not be exaggerated. The rest of Britain is bound to remain overwhelmingly dominant in Ulster's trade. There have been many efforts to encourage crossborder links with actually be willing to go on money, but trade with the Repaying large sums to a public still accounts for only a very small part of total

Nor could the Republic take over the cost of support from the United Kingdom. The Dublin Budget is in heavy deficit. There is no possibility of it assuming such a heavy butden. So an independent Ulster, whatever its political attractions, would need to rely just as heavily as it does at present on outside help, with the United Kingdom the major part.

David Blake

Economics Editor

the Seven some chance to

get to know Messrs Reagan

to tackle the long-term poli-

one of an infrequent series,

far too much is expected

ings constitute the best models for these affairs. The

Commonwealth prime minis-

ters' meeting every two

years can afford to give themselves a leisurely and

The European Council, on

the other hand, is regular.

reasonably frequent, and

be used to settle disputes

and can formally bless agree-ments reached. But it also

offers, in a crucial field, the

psychological and political

insights that constitute the

willing to be educated.

flexible. It can if necessary

at present going on.

The two remaining meet-

But it too, will be a missed opportunity. At 36 hours, of which three or

and Mitterrand.

# The only way an inde-pendent Ulster could hope to compete would be an immedate devaluation of its cur-

say the promotion of weight loss as desirable implies that to be fat is despicable. On a more But the gains from that

person is wrong."

Yet as if to disprove his point, Mr Fabrey had assembled a group of five jolly, fat women (alternatively, five jolly fat women) in an apartment above the association's headquarters in Bellerose, a middle-class suburb just inside the eastern limit of New York city. They each weighed 20 stone or more and most rippled from ample, flow-

the conventional wisdom that far is ugly. It means correcting the assumption of friends and relatives that you are trying to lose weight—and complaining when they pointedly exclude you when passing around cakes, pies and sweets.

pies and sweets.

"People say: 'Susan, you don't really need that other piece of bread'," said Mrs Susan Hoey, the recently divorced mother of a four-year-old child. "When I told my mother I was joining NAAFA she said: 'That means you're not going to try any more '."

four will probably be taken Discrimination comes in more up with approving the comtangible forms, too. The five women complained that clothes muniqué which has been drafted weeks in advance by manufacturers assume that fat people want to disguise their bulk in flowing dresses and dark colours. The dazzling clothes they were at the meeting were a calculated challenge their properties. The dazzling clothes they were at the meeting were a calculated challenge their properties. The dazzling the colours of the col officials, it is far too short tical and economic issues that cry out for examination at this level—East-West to that preconception. trade, the security of the

a host of others. Also, being

Mrs Joanne Preissler works years can afford to give as a "super-size model" in hemselves a leisurely and highly edifying week—the only, really satisfactory Avenue. Only in the last year or so has demand for her services grown. Until then, clothing designers had made clothes for fat people by simply extending the measurements of smaller

> fit.
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> "It's bard to get designers to design sexy clothes for fat women," she said. "I have to get them to realize that I'm an attractive woman and men want to look at me.

"It's getting a bit better," said Mrs Fisher. "When I

some people care about dieting

Michael Leapman reports from New York about a group stoutly opposing widely held opinions on obesity.

A fat lot

Few self-respecting Americans do not nowadays regard themof an oppressed starting to realize that there are do not nowadays regard them-selves as part of an oppressed and stigmatized group. Day after day, our sympathies are sought by indignant blacks, women, homosexuals, landlords, tenants, Irish, old people, young people... the list is endless. The National Association to Aid Fat Americans (NAAFA)

Aid Fat Americans (NAAFA) has, on the face of it, one of the least-fertile rows to hoe. Fat, both the word and the corpulent condition it describes, has never been more despised in polite society—in the latest best-seller list, that reliable guide to social attitudes, three of the top six books are about dieting.
The fat folk resent this. They

pratical level, they point out that diets, for most people in the long term, do not work. Despite all the anti-fat propaganda, membership of the association is growing.
"There is a lot of suppressed

rage in fat people", says Mr William Fabrey, the president of NAAFA, who founded the group 12 years ago. "The traditional myth of the jolly, laughing fat person is wrong."

ing dresses in purples, mauves and reds. They joked and giggled and

explained that they could not act in this relaxed fashion because they had learnt if not exactly to love their flesh, at least not to despise it. Must least not to despise it. Must had spent years dieting unsuccessfully before accepting, in the words of Mrs Lisbeth Fisher, the executive secretary, that: "I am fat and am going to be fat all my life."

Joining NAAFA is, as Mrs Fishers says, a traumatic experience, because it means denying the conventional wisdom that

Gulf, energy questions and

"The talk of 'slenderizing' fashions," said Miss Nancy Summer, who works for a toy company. "I don't want to look slender. I used to wear a slimline girdle until it dawned on me that instead of looking as though I weighed 350lb (25 stone) I looked as though I weighed 345".

izes, making for an imperfect

function a few years ago, I and decide who couldn't get one that didn't out to buy pizza.

women out there with money in their fat little hands."

Mrs Preissler complains that Mrs Preissler complains that fashion people never use the word fat when talking to her. "They call it 'this'," she said. "They say 'it doesn't sit right over this'." Mrs Fisher says that when people telephone with inquiries about NAAFA, they do all they can to avoid the offending word.

they do all they can to avoid the offending word,
"Yet they talk about taking home a fat pay cheque," she pointed out. "And they talk about plumping-up cushions."

These are other ways in which life is yough for the postlife is tough for the portly. Restaurants seldom have chairs bigh enough. Turnstiles at underground railway stations and in many supermarkets are an embarrassingly tight squeeze.
They complain loudest of all about doctors, who, they allege, diagnose almost every aiment they suffer as a consequence of their weight. NAAFA chal-

their weight. NAAFA chal-lenges weight standards accep-ted by insurance companies when judging life expectancy. They claim that dieting, which tends to make a per-son's weight rise and fall like a yo-yo, is more harmful in health than staying fat. "If there was a cure for obesity, how come there are so many how come there are so many cures?" Miss Summer won-

Some of the women were unable to tell me exactly how



An eighteenth-century print of a fashion-conscious lady.

much they weighed because domestic scales seldom go above 22 stones, and doctors' scales not above 25. "At one clinic I was sent down to the meat scales in the basement", said Miss Summer indignantly. Doctors say people are overweight, when 10 per cent above the norm for their height, and obese when 20 per cent over. If double the norm—like all the women in the group—they are called modbidly

proup—they are called modbidly obese, and they resent that too. "Why morbid?" Miss Sum-

Hoey responded.

"Come on", Mr Fabrey chided. "No and thin jokes." The company laughed merrily. The woman said that until it painful to be seen in public and would never think of wearing a swimming costume : now

they swim quite a lot. Miss Summer told of a traumatic and ironic experience some years ago. She was waiting for a train and a man came up behind her and thrust a leaflet into her hand. In the train she opened the leaflet, saw the word "fat" and was covered with embarrassment. As a result, she stopped travelling by train and took a job nearer

Years later she found out that the man was Mr Fabre, in an early and unsuccessful attempt at recruiting members by singling out fat people in crowds—which he now realizes was a dreadful mistake.
"We same out 200 leaflets",
he said. "Out of them; two

people joined and the other 198 stopped using the railroad." More hearty rolls of laughter. wanted to buy a gown for a It was time to close the meeting and decide who should be sent

#### Publishers want to bring America to book

Ten leading British publishers, among them such well-known names as Faber and Faber, Cape, Collins, Weidenfeld and Nicolson and Hamish Hamilton have complained to the Publishers' Association about the most-serious rash of copyright infringement in livin; memory.

In recent months the publishers have been incensed to find that an increasing number of general-interest books published by British firms have had to compete with much cheaper American editions of the same works which have been imported by middlemen, who in turn sold them to remainder bookshops The practice has now mushroomed to the level where legal action is being contemplated by the associa-tion on the publishers' behalf.

Faber appear to have been particularly badly-hit. Via the association's solicitor, they have approached the Souire bookshop in Oxford Street, complaining about Squire's alleged sale of The Letters of Gustav Mohler. The Faber edition retails at £15 whereas at Squire the American version cost £4.95. 'A spokesman for Squire said that they were sorry, it had been a mistake, and that as from yesterday the rensold copies had been sent to Faher.

Bur Faber are also believed to be worried about four other litles, including the letters of Bela Bartok and works by Ted Hughes and Lawrence Durrell. (The authors,

lishers.)
Essentially, the problem has

arisen because American publishers, granted the rights to publish and sell particular titles of British books in Canada and the United States, have been forced for economic and raxation reasons to remainder stock. These foreign editions, some of works still in print in Britain, have then been circulating the world market, only to emerge in our remainder shops at very low prices.

As many as 40 titles may be affected already and no one knows when still more "pirate" editions

Dedicated followers of fashion can look forward to a rare treat next week when Bermans and Nathans, the internationally famous film and thearrical costumiers, stage a grand

Up to 4,000 items of clothing, including the screen-printed trousers that Keith Moon wore in the movie Tommy, Adam Ant-style military jackets and surplus jumpsuits from the space-station sequence in the James Bond film Moonraker, are to be sold, for anything from £3 to

Punks, young romantics and fancy dress lovers will be able to pick up

#### Freaks' treat

evening dresses as worn in The Boys From Brazil, loincloths from near prehistoric times and what manager Gerald Moulin describes as "a very ce" Hussar's Jacket. The sale, which takes place at the firm's Irving Street headquarters

next Saturday, has been prompted by the need to thin out a huge and

of course, suffer as well as the pub-

supply Israel with F16 fighters after all will be welcome to Mr Begin, but he must be hoping the Americans will not make the same mistake as last time

United States is to

make the same mistake a test the make the same mistake a test the same on the Sabbath. Five years ago, on a Fridcy in December 1976, three F15 fighters arrived from the United States at a military airfield in Israel, and were met by a welcom-ing committee headed by the then Labour Prime Minister, Yitzhak

The news that the Rabin. Unfortunately, the planes came in 20 minutes late, just as dusk was falling, and by the time the ccremonics were over the sun had set and the Sabbath had begun. The religious parties were so inceased at this sacrilege that they tabled a censure motion in the Knesset, despite the fact that they were in coalition with Labour. The coalition collapsed, and Mr Begin won the ensuing election, forming a coalition with—nes, the religious parties. He now hopes to do the same again—barring, that is, the odd Sabbath-breaking incident over the next month or so.

ever-growing collection of costumes. More than a million items are stored in B and N's Camden warehouse

The fashion-conscious will also be pleased to learn that the firm is extending into the retail business for the first time. Their Irving Street foyer is to be used to sell costume items, original designs, posters and film and theatrical

# Bedroom farewells

John Poole-Hughes, the Bishop of Llandaff, has sent me two further examples of ways to get rad of guests who have outstayed their welome. We have clearly uncarthed a rich seam for a budding anthrono-logist in search of a Ph D topic,

list Critque of an Interactional Ritual.) "Twenty five years ago", the

Bishop writes, "I was teaching in a theological college in Tanganyika (as it then was) and our students were continually asking for advances from their scant because relations, taking advantage of the fact that the students had an income, decided to come and stay with them, Custom demanded the students should receive them hospitably, though many outstayed their welcome. Custom also made it impossible, we were told, for the students to ask relations to leave. "' But there must be some way to get rid of them', we on the staff said. Well', we were told, 'in extreme cases, the woman of the

years earlier...;

6It simply means, darling,

you'll be unemployed three

whether about Japanese cars, necessary education of about sheep meat, or about modern political leaders—commodities, and all in a that is, if they are able and



middle of the day, on the assumption that he cannot see the way home adequately; or she can sweep the path shead of him to make sure there is no small barrier to his taking the road out."

On second thoughts, rather than combining all these into a Ph D. someone should collect them in a small book, complete with embar-rassing cartoons. All this started in the first place with ideas for boring logist in search of a Ph D topic, house can present the unwanted bedside reading that would help (The Unwanted Cuest: A Structura- guest with a lighted lamp in the drop the hint to guests that their

hosts had had enough. Once such a book appeared by the bed, the guest would know his time was up. It's the perfect answer.

#### Hot humour

Medical school deans, fearing for their colleges in the current round of university cuts, are not noted for their sense of humour these days. An exception is Professor Sir John Walton president of the British Medical Association and a worldrenowned neurologist.

In his ten years as deau of New-castle medical school, all has not been sweetness and light, he admits. In the men's lavatory at his medical school where a modern hot-air hand-drier has been installed, he says, some supporter has written alongside: "For a short message from the dean, press the red but-

#### Goon gap

The BBC has been receiving plenty of protests from abroad about the Government axing of the BBC Transcription Service, which sells radio programmes to foreign stations. But few have made a morepolgnant plea than Radio Ikurangi, one of the timest subscribers to the service, which broadcasts on the Cook Islands, midway between Tahiti and Tonga: 70 per cent of its programmes come from the BBC.
If the service closes next year, the station will not only have to fill huge sans, but the Cook Islanders will be denrived of their

regular diet of such programmes

as the Goon Show and Steptoc and

#### A real hit When the Vatican Radio put on

sale last month a cassette recording of its own live commentary on the assassination attempt on Pope John Paul II, many people thought the venture grotesque, overly commer-cial and in bad taste. "Are the merchants back in the temple?" asked one Italian newspaper headline. But it now appears the Vatican knew its public only too well: the first edition of the tane, which ends with the halting voice of the Pone reading the prayer "Salve Regina" from his hospital bed, has already

### Toying with words

Rubik's cube, that irritating, compulsive and seemingly impossible toy, has received an unusual honour. After being voted toy of the year in many countries, including Britain, it has now won a place in the permanent design collection of the Museum of Modern Art in New York.

The 21in cube is named after its inventor, Professor Erno Rubik. of Budapest Each side is made up of nine mini-cubes that rotate in all directions. Strong men have heen known to ween at its frustrating complexity so the Americans, true to form, now have a book to help them. The Simple Solution to Rubile's Cube is its title; but the sixstep formula is not my simple: it takes most people hours to put into effect.

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# PEACE AND PRINCIPLE

Two new proposals for the future of Northern Ireland were put forward in the House of Commons yesterday. One, from the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland Northern Ireland, Mr. Humphrey Atkins, is designed essentially to make the operation of direct rule more acceptable to the people of the province. The other, from Mr. James Callaghan, is more radical.

Mr Atkins accepts that there is no immediate alternative to direct rule, for the simple reason that there is not a sufficient measure of agreement among the politicians of North-ern Ireland on any new system. The parties representing the two communities there cannot agree either on an arrangement for power-sharing in a new devolved assembly, or to have an assembly without power-sharing. But without such an assembly, or a new top tier of local government, there is undoubtedly a gap in the province's political institutions.

Mr Atkins intends to fill this gap with a Northern Ireland Council composed of people already elected by the voters to other representative bodies: the House of Commons, the European Parliament or the twenty six district councils, Representatives would be nominated by their respective parties in proportion to their electoral strength. The council would therefore consist of elected representatives without itself being directly elected. Its function would be purely advisory. Such an arrangement would have certain modest advantang-

es. It would provide a greater

outlet for political activity in the

province. It would keep the British Government more close-ly in touch with Northern Irish opinion than the MPs can possibly do by themselves on a range of matters. It would be a standing forum in which Northern Irish representatives could themselves keep on trying to work out acceptable arrange-

ments for the future govern-ment of the province. But unless and until it managed to devise such proposals it would be no more than a useful addition to the machinery for direct rule. Mr Atkins was at pains to emphasize yesterday that "We are certainly not going to cut and run, leaving the citizens of Northern Ireland, the vast majority of whom want nothing more than to get on with their daily lives in peace and quiet, without the services and protection that they deserve

Mr Callaghan's proposal cannot escape that criticism. It is highly desirable that there should continue to be fresh and constructive thinking on North-ern Ireland, especially from someone with such a dis-tinguished record of public service, who has himself in the past had personal responsibility in a British government for the affairs of the province. There may also be some tactical advantage in someone of Mr Callaghan's standing in Britain calling upon the Government to begin a movement towards the creation of an independent Northern Ireland, It may make Protestant politicians there rather more willing to compromise with the Catholic parties. But there would be other, more disturbing, effects, if the

Government were to act on his advice. He is proposing in substance that, admittedly at the end of a process, having moved step by step, Northern Ireland should be expelled from the

step by step, Northern Ireland should be expelled from the United Kindom whether that was the wish of its people or not. They would as individuals retain the right to British citizenship, which enables Mr Callaghan to claim that the guarantee that the constitutional position of the province will not be changed without the approval of a majority of the people would not be abandoned but "would be transferred from the territory to the people"

One of the rights of British citizenship in the United Kingdom, however, is the right to participate, in the constituency where one is living, in electing a member to the House of Commons. mons. Under Mr Callaghan's scheme that right would ultima-tely be denied to Northern Irish people who continued to live in the province. This would be a critical deprivation. It would be a different matter if the people of Northern Ireland themselves wished to move towards independence. As David Blake points out on the opposite page, that would still leave Britain with the economic burden of supporting the province, if living standards in the province were not to fall

drastically.

Nonetheless, if that were the wish of the Northern Irish people, it would be right for Britain to respond constructive-ly. But for Britain on its own initiative to remove Northern Ireland from the United Kingdom would be unprincipled and would not lead to peace in the province.

#### UNIVERSITIES UNDER THE KNIFE

The pattern that emerges'

economically. Business studies

and technology to go up; social

down. But there is no hidebound

promotion of technology wher-

ever it is found: indeed, four of

the seven universities hardest hit are former Colleges of Advanced Technology Depart-ments of technology are expens-

ive to equip and run at a high

standard, and the logic of concentration applies to them

strongly.

The arts are to shrink, with

concentration of foreign lan-

guage teaching in fewer and

larger departments, while ensur-ing that the minority languages which tend to be sacrificed

when economies are needed do

not vanish altogether. Special

consideration is also rec-ommended for the interests of research and libraries, both

react to.

There are two components in the University Grants Committee's decisions, given out yesterday, about how to apply the spending cuts that the Government has laid down for universities. First there is the public and mandatory part: the announcement of the size of grant for each university in the coming academic year, with estimates for the two succeeding years. These figures may be open to negotiation, or to revision in the light of future Government policy, but in the last resort what the committee decides on these issues will be

so. Then there is the advisory part, some of it published in yesterday's statement and some in confidential letters to each university, in which the committee explains what cuts in student numbers it believes to reductions are not to lead to lower standards, and how it wishes the reductions to be made subject by subject. On these matters the committee has no power to insist. If indignation over the proposals runs high in coming weeks, as it is likely to, it should not make the mistake of claiming that the state (for the UGC is technically an arm of the state) is making any new encroachment in a formal sense upon academic

freedom. In practice, though, the changes demanded are unprecedented, and it will be a little while before the implications sink in. The Government has reversed a trend of expansion in British higher education which had continued since the Second

World War. Given our economic. The importance of promoting plight and the Government's policies for managing it, the continuing education in a rapid-ly-changing world is underdecision to cut makes sense. But stated, however. the academic world has no

The scale of the cuts in some experience of contraction. It will hurt, and coming so suddenly it could well cause institutions is so great that redundancies may be necessary.
The question whether it is possible to make dons redundant is one that will have to be unnecessary harm and disorder. It would have been no service to determined by the courts: to legislate retrospectively about academic freedom for the UGC to have spread the load equally and left the universities to make the best of it alone. Detailed direction of policy from the centre would be clumsy and oppressive, but a pattern is needed for each university to existing contracts would be repugnant. In any event, the Government should treat compensation as an item for additional funding, as in the coal and steel industries.

In general, the UGC's guidance to making the best of from yesterday's announcement unwelcome necessity deserves appears broadly appropriate to to be received with respect by the condition of a country universities. It is a pity that the finding it difficult to compete whole of higher education of to be received with respect by universities. It is a pity that the whole of higher education of which the universities are only a small part has no body like it to cuts should fall. Greater coherence of planning in the whole field would reduce the unavoidably arbitrary aspect of the UGC's role. Planning in this wider context could seek more effectively to meet the paradox that Britain has to cut higher education because of economic failures which may well be connected with the fact that fewer young people here than in competing countries, go on to gain the skills that an advanced society needs. It cannot be demonstrated that a large university sector, nor even higher education as a whole, make a country more competitive. But some sense, skills must be a safeguard against unemployment for nations, as they are for

### vulnerable to similar pressures. **NEW PIPER, NEW TUNES?**

French radio and television have been under close government for many years. M Giscard d'Estaing took office with a commitment to liberalize the system and did introduce some changes; but he simply used different methods to exer cise his influence, so that by the end of his term of office he not only controlled television and radio, but was beginning to influence the press as well.

Since M Mitterrand was elected President on May 10 there have been considerable changes. M Mitterrand and his colleagues, who had been to a great extent ignored in the past, are now frequently on people's screens. There has also been controversy over the fate of the top men and women in the broadcasting media, all of them appointees of M Giscard. The new government, true to its promise not to conduct a witchhunt, has not dismissed them. But M Fillioud, the Minister of Communications, has brought pressure on them to resign by saying publicly that they did not carry out their obligations properly; and there has been further pressure from journalists' committees in the various organizations, which have demanded a say in both appointments and programming. Some of the Giscard appointees

have resigned, others have held

It is hardly surprising that there should be bitterness over all this, and that those who are now under pressure to resign should claim to be victims of a witchbunt. French radio and television are intensely political organizations, so that when the political pendulum swings as far as it has now done in France there are bound to be repercussions. Some journalists who consider that they were silenced or downgraded for political reasons have seen a chance to assert themselves, or to take revenge. Others, who toed the Giscard line, maintain that they did so unwillingly and are now ready to change their tune. Others again argue that they upheld their professional integrity all along, and will continue

In all the hubbub, two things seem clear. One is that those people who were the most blatant examples of parronage, and who were responsible for the servile attitude of radio and television towards M Giscard, can hardly expect to stay on: The other is that the government needs to act firmly to show that it really intends to carry out M Mitterrand's pledge to introduce a more open and independent broadcasting system, rather than simply using the media for its own ends. In his statement to the Cabinet on Wednesday, M Fillioud set out the principles that will be incorporated in legislation to be introduced this autumn. They include respect for pluralism and full autonomy for the bodies responsible for

individuals.

radio and television. This is in line with campaign undertakings by the Socialist Party that the heads of the three television channels and of the radio services would no longer be appointed by the President, as under M Giscard, but by their respective boards, on which the government would be in a

But given the powers which a French President and his government have, more will be needed than new structures. By the appointments it makes and the spirit in which it interprets the law, the government will have to show that it does not intend simply to replace control by M Giscard's supporters with control by its own. Real change would be in its own interest. M Giscard's power over broadcasting not only failed to save him from defeat but may even have contributed by provoking the scepticism and hostility which is the familiar public response to government-controlled media in

#### Closing ranks

From Professor M. R. Alderson Sır, Could Philip Howard (June 23) be only partly right about a cohort? I understood that once a cohort had been enlisted, there was no replacement of those dying or retiring by new recruits; the cohort thus gradually decreased in size. Guidance on this point would be welcome as it is in this sense that the word is used in my field of medical statistics. I would hate to continue to make a mucker (or other-wise run the risk of offending

your book review editor). Yours faithfully, MICHAEL ALDERSON, 11 Redruth House, Grange Road, Surrey.

#### Methodist ministry

From Mr J. L. Nightingale Sir, Yours news item of July 1" describes the Rev Christine Jones as Britain's first woman Methodist

The Rev Elizabeth Bultitude was appointed to the Norwich Circuit by the Primitive Methodist Conference in 1832 and on her death in 1890 the Conference took the opportunity of reminding the Church that "the gifts of the Spirit are without distinction of

most parts of the world.

Yours truly. I. LESLIE NIGHTINGALE, 11 Marshall's Road, Raunds, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire: July 1.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Losing the art of advocacy

From Mr A. C. Blughton
Sir, In your edition of Wednesday,
July 1, on page 9, you carried a law
report quoting part of a judgment of
Mr Justice Tudor Evans in the case
of Auty. Mills, Rogers and Popow v
National Coal Board.

It is not our intention to make any It is not our intention to make any comment upon the merits of the case, but the purpose of this letter is to say how much we agree with the conclusion of Mr Justice Tudor Evans on the issue of refusing to admit expert witness evidence. We hope that the legal profession will not mind us making a comment generally on this issue, but over the years within the whole wide range of legal practice, we have found the years within the whole wine range of legal practice, we have found the use of professional experts becom-ing more widespread. The Lord Chancellor should note, we feel the

Chancellor should note, we feel, the fact that if an examination of legal costs was to take place, it would be surprising to many people as to the extent to which this practice has developed in court cases.

Mr Justice Tudor Evans himself would recall that when he started out it was the rule that the barristers involved themselves more in advocacy and explanation of the facts of a case than they do today. facts of a case than they do today, whereby most court cases are taken

whereby most court cases are taken up in cross-examination of witnesses, professional or otherwise. We can recall this judge, together with our solicitors, taking great pains to build a model of a member's workplace so that they could explain to the judge what exactly occurred.

These days barristers are more inclined to state that the judge will want an expert in any event and, therefore, we must have one, thus removing from court hearings a particular facet of advocacy which, unfortunately has waned throughout the years.

out the years. We are not too sure whether judges actually agree with this, but it is sad to relate that most cases, whatever they are now turn upon the views of what professional witnesses say and, as we have said, this runs right over the wide reaches of the law. It may be a good and opportune time for the Lord Chancellor and his department to reflect upon whether this is necessarily producing the right sort of results, particularly where a poor, unfortunate individual is relying upon experts who give virtually second-hand evidence and whose case turns upon whether his legal advisers have selected the right

expert or not.
With the advent of the raising of the county court limits to a much higher figure than is justified, we feel that the time has come for an appraisal of the whole issue of conducting legal cases before the courts. There ought to be more agreed terms laid down so that the court does not waste its time on unnecessary fact and we should get back to the advocacy of the past, whereby barristers have to convince judges of the legal correctness of the cases which they are conducting, rather than rely upon expert professional witnesses.

This letter may of course result in

rofessional witnesses. This letter may of course result in some controversy, but we feel that the matter has drifted far enough and a proper appraisal is clearly necessary with a view to seeing what can be done to cut down the vast amount of costs which are involved. Inflation alone is not responsible for these because we feel that it will be found that experts who are em-ployed command even greater fees than the barristers and solicitors conducting the case.

Yours faithfully, A. C. BLYGHTON, Transport and General Workers' Transport House, Smith Square, SW1. July 1. Union,

#### West Indians in school

From Mr James Hutchinson Sir, While I agree with the drift of Mrs. Best's arguments (June 27) as a schoolmaster I should point out that many misunderstandings arise if a parent fails to recognize the long established convention of report writing. Why does a teacher write, "Jones has a confident attitude and a lively imagination" when he means, "Jones runs wild in class and has a mind like a sewer"? There are two reasons. First, the mistaken belief that parents will penetrate the Delphic utterance, penetrate the Delphic utterance, discerning the true meaning, second, the responsibility he feels for writing the unadorned high. What effect on a pupil's work and self-esteem will "a hopeless case" have? Should the teacher perhaps encourage and give a pupil support against a domineering and overantious parent who has unrealistic expectations of a child's ability?

The answer to Mrs Best's problem is for greater contact between parent and school: If I know a parent well I can say exactly what I feel; if I have hardly met the parent then I have recourse to the cliche.

Parents must not be overawed by Parents must not be overswed by the professionals and teachers must stop hiding behind jargon and patronizing parents. After all we are, or should be, on the same side. Yours sincerely. ours sincerely, S, HUTCHINSON,

#### Rates burden

9, Bow Road, E.3. June 29.

From Mr Frank Othick Sir, Your Local Government Correspondent predicts (June 25) that in the Government's autumn legislation the main proposal will be an imposed limit on increases in industrial and commercial rates, thus imposing a bigger burden of democrity rates are sense. thus imposing a bigger burden on domestic ratepayers.

If, as seems likely, this concession extends to all commercial properties, householders, without the tax relief on rates enjoyed by their commercial neighbours, will also have the privilege of helping occupants of offices (in the City of London they account for 84 per cent of the total rateable value of £246m and do not look threadbare in any locality), shops (including such hard-ups as banks, building societies, estate agents and bookmakers), hotels, restaurants and public houses, even holiday camps and caravan fields.

Let us hope that this proposal will

Let us hope that this proposal will be intelligently thought through before legislation is drafted. Yours, etc.

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#### Approaches to inner-city policing

Sir, The Scarman inquiry throws into relief two contrasting approaches to inner-city policing. There is the home-beat officer, welcomed and accepted in all corners of his and accepted in all corners of his patch, overcoming the local convenions of antipathy to the police, even in Brixton. Then there are the mobile bands of young, inexperienced and apparently ill-equipped men, wholly unfamiliar with neighbourhoods into which they are drafted at extreme points of tension.

The Commissioner is indeed lucky that these demands are being made on his resources at a time when the on his resources at a time when the "Met's" strength is the highest for many years. At least he has been more generously treated by the present Administration than those

more generously beated by the present Administration than those of its in other public services.

Certainly, the London policeman on foot is now a much more common sight than he (or she) was and the shape of the Met, and its policies, seem to be more fluid than they have been for some years. Scarman could well influence the direction things take — but which will this be? Towards a sophisticated riot police equipped to rapidly suppress the symptoms of disruption, or on the other hand, towards a much more determined policy of neighbourhood policing, a policy which hitherto seems to fair ill against the competing demands of specialist task forces and high-technology policing?

one sympathises with the appaling and unique problem that the Commissioner faces in policing a capital city as well as a series of neighbourhoods with their own individualities and sensitivities. Even on an ordinary day, I am\_told, for

#### A voice abroad .

From the Director-General of the English-Speaking Union Sir, I was concerned to read of the budget cuts the Foreign and Commonwealth Office has announced for the external services of the BBC. Such cuts will not only directly and adversely affect the BBC but will also diminish Britain's BBC but will also diminish Britain's efforts at transmitting its attitudes to peoples outside the United Kingdom. The BBC's everseas efforts present to other people in the world aspects of British culture which help to cast a favourable light matching agreement. on this nation. The English language provides to many the only contact they would have with British attitudes and encourages a greater understanding of Britain in other parts of the world. The BBC currently reaches about 4½ million adults through its oversees services. adults through its overseas services, and to bring to a close a service that is welcomed by so many people is an unwise course of action indeed. Every effort should be made to discover any evenues which may lead to sponsorship of the BBC in order that it does not fall victim to economically poor times. Perhaps, industries or trusts could lend financial support; this may not be the most attractive alternative to many people, but it is one worth exploring. It could perhaps be done through the Foreign Office without endangering the BBC's charter.

I agree that other economies should be made before serious programmes are forced to suffer. The BBC provides an important service not only to Britons but also, through the external services which are in danger of being suspended, an inexpensive and effective means of communication to people in other parts of the world. I would hope that the Foreign and Commonwealth Office would be willing to re-examine its priorities and reconsider its efforts to withdraw one of the most

Choice of schools

From Mr D. A. Frith Sir, On June 11 you published a letter from Mr Frank Fisher defending the right of parents to choose private education for their children and deploring the policy statements which were recently issued by the Labour Party and which were directed towards the abolition of fee-paying schools, I have little doubt that Mr Fisher was right in believing that there is a wide measure of support for many of the views which he expressed. It may be, however, that our concern to protect the independence of education from central state control should be extended beyond the independent sector. In broad terms the maintained sector has terms the maintained sector has continued to live within the tradition of professional independence which characterized the best feepaying schools. Certainly during my 25 years as headmaster of a maintained school I felt free in my relationship with parents, governors, and local authority. Basically I believe that this was because that relationship was founded upon personal contact with local people whose attitudes, and decisions. whose attitudes and decisions stemmed from their membership of particular and distinctive communi-ties, who felt able to influence the decisions that were made and, in the case of the authority, had a degree of autonomy commensurate with the responsibilities which they carried. Readers who may have read the article by Professor J. D. Stewart in The Times Educational Supplement of June 12 may agree with him that

Rail modernization From Mr W. P. Bradshaw

Fraser's letter of June 30) about track costs is surely going over sterile ground. The present Government has repeatedly stated that it does not wish to substantially reduce the extent of the railway system. What is essential and this system. What is essential, and this view is shared by the Board, and we believe the Government, is that the electrification and modernization of the railway network should be carried out in manner which ensures that only those facilities which are strictly necessary are retrined.

one could debate endlessly whether the tax which I pay on my car should be devoted to subsidising the track costs of heavy lorries; whether the whole cost of road accidents, variously estimated at costs of up to £2bm, should be borne by the motorists, whether the taxes on road users should be directed towards assisting British Leuland towards assisting British Leyland, or whether those enjoying the use of a company car pay adequate tax. What to my mind is more important to the country is to termine which investments in transport infrastructure are likely to produce a worthwhile return on capital. We need to ensure that more resources are devoted to such

example that inner-city Islington may have half its own police deployed on "capital city duties" outside the borough. What chance community policing in this situation? Perhaps, though, this increase in

Perhaps, though, this increase in manpower gives a new margin to play with, and I would plead with the logicians at the Yard to recognize the priority of the homebeat service. Colleagues from education, health and social services at the front line find that where there is a regular and intensive home-beat policing inint action becomes is a regular and intensive nome-beat policing, joint action becomes possible to avert delinquency, family violence and vandalism. But this trust can only develop between our ageocies, our communities and a known figure, particularly a policeman whose contribution and personality are able to transcend the ality are able to transcend the stereotypes his uniform otherwise attracts.

Stability of manpower is also as

important. Over the last year the losses other services have experienced through cuts have to some extent been compensated by a static workforce. Would that the same could be said of the Met, which appears to be a constant merry-goround, particularly at senior level There is, for example, no senior officer in the Yard's Community Relations Division who was there a year ago. Surely in this division above all continuity and consistency are required. Files alone are not good enough as a memory. Cours faithfully, JOHN REA PRICE, Director of Social Services,

London Borough of Islington, 17 Islington Park Street, N1.

effective ambassadors abroad Britain can claim. Yours faithfully

ALAN LEE WILLIAMS. The English-Speaking Union, Dartmouth House, 37 Charles Street, Berkeley Square, W1. June 29.

From the President of the Italian Chamber of Commerce for Great

Britain Sir, I feel I must write to you both Sir, I feel I must write to you both as an Italian and as a senior announcer/translator in the Italian service of the BBC during the war years 1941-45. We were then the connecting thread between the free and the oppressed people of the world. We helped to counter the nazi-fascist propaganda machine and on visiting us in Bush House an Italian colonel from Badoglio head-quarters told me: "The Italian section has been worth to Great Britzin more than a division of

Millions were listening to us then: Millions were listening to us then; many are listening today 40 years later. But I must ask: is the situation really very different today? An enormous amount of alien ideology, 219 hours a week, is being beamed in Italian to the Italians daily from the other side of the iron curtain. The largest communist party in Western Europe is anxious to come to power and, for is anxious to come to power and, for the sake of saving perhaps £200,000, it is planned to stop the seven bours London and to extinguish a flame which has kept alive the resistance of all freedom-loving people against all kinds of tyrannies for over 40 years. Frankly no comment is pecessary.

I remain. Sir. yours faithfully. MASSIMO COEN, 20'Savile Row, W1. lune 30.

the present move to establish strict and direct control over local authority spending — which in this context precisely means spending on education - may constitute the first real threat of destruction to our liberal tradition of education in the maintained schools. If the Government takes ever greater powers to control educational expenditure, it will be able to do so with insensitivity to what this will mean in a wide variety of different local circumstances. They will do so without any sense of direct accountability to those who teach and learn in the country's schools, and to the parents who must use those schools. Nor must it be supposed, once a local authority has been deprived of the power to fix the level of its own rates to match the perceived needs of the local community, that a subsequent government might re-

store that power. Any government is reluctant to relinquish the powers which it inherits. which it inherits.

If the performance of maintained schools has given rise to some disappointment, whether justified or not, let nobody conclude that starving them of resources; and preventing local people from cutting their own coat from their own cloth is likely to do anything but make matters a very great deal worse. Central control will stifle the liveliness of local initiatives and encourage the spread of dull uniformity. Yours faithfully,

DONALD FRITH, General Secretary, Secondary Heads Association, 29 Gordon Square, WC1.

programmes, whether they are road or rail, not just as a means of giving employment to the depressed construction industries but to build up our national transport infrastruc-ture. Railway electrification and the M25 should not be seen as mutually exclusive.

W. BRADSHAW, Director of Strategic Development, British Railways Board; Euston Square, NW1. Tome 30.

Church treasure

West Wickham,

From Mrs Joan Connelly Sir, I have a lot of sympathy for Canon Sharpe (letter, June 27) and his parishioners, the problem of valuable altar silver is faced by many churches. I belong to a relatively modern church which has had most of its silver stolen and we now use two stores trophics where now use two sports trophies whose rims have been straightened. These seem much friendlier than any mass-produced objects and I'm sure suitable vessels would be readily offered in many parishes. Yours faithfully, JOAN W. CONNELLY, 16 Beckenham Road,

# Trials of Nazi

war criminals From Dr Martin Kolinsky

Sir, It was most unfortunate that the feature on the Majdanek trial (July 1) conveyed such weariness with war crimes trials. Two years ago, on July 3, 1979, the Bundestag decided to abolish the Statute of Limitations on the prosperations of Limitations on the prosecution of murder. The debate showed that it was precisely because the Holocaust and the related crimes of mass murder were moral problems beyond the ordinary that prosecutions hould continue without time restrictions,

strictions.

However the Bundestag did not address itself to the question of how the trials should be conducted. It continued to be left to the judiciary as if ordinary procedures could automatically apply to the extraordi-nary situations. No effort was made to establish a separate procedure, or to monitor the process through the Bundestag, as the forum of the nation and through the federal government. Yet the crimes were organized by a regime in control of the German state, armed forces and

Therefore it is not merely criminal individuals who are on trial; what is fundamentally at stake is the way in which this past is integrated with the present in a

nation's consciousness.

Although common justice may be beyond reach, lassitude or indifference would represent injustice to the memory of the victims and their surviving relatives and friends. And heroad them it would be unfair to beyond them, it would be unfair to those in the Federal Republic who have the moral courage to face the dreadfulness of their inheritance, and to those everywhere who try to comprehend the human devastation which the trials recall.

Yours sincerely. MARTIN KOLINSKY. Department of Political Science, University of Birmingham, Muirhead Tower. P.O. Box 363, Eirmingham. July 1.

From Mrs Nicole David Sir, Patricia Clough (July 1) in her interesting article writes that four decades after the Holocaust time is running out for the persecutors and persecuted, and soon its aftermath

persecuted, and soon its attermath will pass into history.

May I suggest that time is running out because the world chooses to write history very quickly. It is so, much easier to read history books rather than deal with the persecutors and look after the persecutors. secuted.

My father, at the age of 80, is

indeed ill and frail but has no difficulty in remembering my mother and our family's deportation, our years in hiding in ation, our years in hiding in Belgium I was six. I think I can say, as the thousands who were my age and have survived, that we will have. to live with our memories for many years before passing into history. Yours faithfully,

NICOLE DAVID, 4 Oakfields Road, N11. July 1.

Russell and the bomb

From Mr Alistair Horne Ronald Clark's Bertrand Russell and His World does too little to recall the essential silliness of Bertrand Russell, and some of his utterances made during the CND Campaign.

While researching in the Kennedy Library in Boston, Mass., recently, I came across a letter (undated, but written presumably some time in came across a letter (undated, but written presumably some time in June, 1962) by Russell to President Kennedy. Using what was hardly the language of the reflective philosopher, it castigated the resumption of US nuclear tests, which followed Khruschev's exploding of several megaton bombs, the most powerful yet tested, as an "act of barbarism," and predicted; "Immediately, tens of thousands will be caused to die. This is premeditated murder." (Russell's tralics)

Undesirable as those tests may have been, now nearly 20 years later one knows that "tens of thousands" did not in fact die. This unscientific wildness of Russell seems of particular relevance when a new worldwide anti-nuclear campaign is under way, this time against peaceful atomic development, but promoted by much the same cast as supported Russell and CND a

generation ago. generation ago.

Clearly very serious safeguards need to be taken, but Russell's prediction does seem to suggest that today we should perhaps pay more attention to the scientists, and less to woolly-minded philosophers and politically motivated sociologists. Yours, etc.

ALISTAIR HORNE, 24 Landsowne Road, W11

From Mr Nicolas Walter From Mr Nicolas Waiter

Sir, Ronald Clark's article on Bertrand Russell's part in the nuclear disarmament movement (June 27), which is digested from the last five chapters of his biography, Bertrand Russell (1975), repeats a statement from the book that the foundation of the Committee of 100 in 1960 "split the movement down the middle". It did no such thing.

The leadership may have been divided, but most of the membership refused to take sides between the extremes of conventional demonstrations and civil disobedience. In the middle of the movement there was not a split but a wide overlap between marchers and sitters which Russell encouraged and for a time represented.

represented.

Myths which were invented by the media should not pass into history without being challenged, and this one is no better for being 20 years

NICOLAS WALTER, 134 Northumberland Road, ... Harrow, Middlesex,

Topless in 'The Times'

From Mr D. J. Owen. sir, Sir Robin MacLellan (June 30) should not protest too loudly at your slicing the top off head and shoulders photographs. Does not his own family escutcheon bear a head impaled upon a sword? Surely the unkindest cut of all! Yours faithfully,

D. J. OWEN, 21 Salisbury Road, Redland, Bristol.
June 30.



# **COURT** SOCIAL

had the honour of being received by The Queen upon his retirement as a Lord in Walting to Her Majesty when The Queen invested him with the Insigna of a Knight Commander of torian Order. mmander of the Royal Vic-

The Viscount Boyne had the honour of being received by The Queen upon his appointment as a Lord in Waiting to Her Majesty. The Queen and The Duke of Lord in wanting to her majesty.

The Queen and The Duke of
Edinburgh visited Lord's Cricket
Ground this afternoon and, having
been received by the President of
the MCC (Mr P. B. H. May), mer members of the Australia and England Cricket Teams.

Mrs John Dugdale, Mr Robert Fellowes and Squadron Leader Adam Wise were in attendance.

The Duke of Edinburgh, Colonel-in-Chief of The Queen's Court Riplanders (Seeforth and

Own Highlanders (Seaforth and Own Highlanders (Seaforth and Camerons) this evening dined with the Officers of the Regimental Dinner Club at the Naval and Military Club, 94, Piccadilly, Withere His Royal Highness was received by the Colonel of the Regiment (Lieutenant-General Sir Chandos Hair) Chandos Blair). Major Justin Fenwick was in

The Prince of Wales this morning at Buckingham Palace received the Indian Parliamentary Delegation.
His Royal Highness, Patron, this evening attended a Concert given by the Philharmonia Orchestra at the Royal Festival

Hall. Mr Francis Cornish was in strendance. The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, visited Northampton today.

This morning Her Royal Highness opened and toured the new factory of Avon Cosmetics Ltd

Princess Alice Duchess of Gloucester will attend a performance of the Royal Tournament at Earls Court on July 30. The Hon Mrs Philip Remnant gave

birth to a son in Johannesburg on

#### Receptions

West India Committee Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, was the guest of honour at a reception given by the West India Committee at Haberdasher's Hall yesterday, by courtesy of the Master and Wardens. Sir George Bishop, president of the committee, welcomed the guests and Lieutenaut-Commander R. E. F. de Pass. Chairman, presided. Among those

TRAITMEN, presided. Among those present we're:

The high Commissioner for the shamas and Mrs Hoberts, the High commissioner for Barbados, the High commissioner for Bominics and Mrs instance, and Mrs Aquasine, the High Commissioner for Guyane and Mrs irrant, the High Commissioner for Guyane and Mrs irrant, the High Commissioner for Faint, Lacia, and Gr Esimirationer for Saint, Lacia, and Gr Esimirationer for Findad and Tobacomd Mrs Scienterel, Lacia, and Tobacomd Mrs Mrs Mobilson, Mr Da Jesson High Mrs Robinson, Mr Da Jesson deputy director, Mr and Mrs F Burman and tembers from the Caribbean and Imper.

Recruitment Society
Mr Tim Rathbone, MP, was host
at a reception yesterday evening
on the terrace of the House of
Commons given by the Chairman Commons given by the Chairman of the Recruitment Society, Mr Roddy Braithwaire, and the executive committee.

Representatives of Parliament, of recruitment organizations and of personnel management and

members of the society and their

#### Luncheons

Durham University The Vice-Chancellor and Warden of Durham University, Professor F. G. T. Holliday, gave a luncheon in Durham Castle yesterday after congregation conferring honorary

British Council, Was host at a luncheon given yesterday at 10 Spring Gardens in honour of Dr. Hughes.

Lady Rughes.

British Academy

The annual dinner of the British Academy was held at Middle Spring Gardens in honour of Dr.

Temple Hall yesterday. Sir

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BUCKINGHAM PALACE
July 2: Mrs Allan Adair had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty invested her with the Insignia of a Member of the Royal Victorian Order (Fifth Class).

The Lord Hamilton of Dalzell had the honour of being received

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CLARENCE HOUSE CLARENCE HOUSE
July 2: Queen Elizabeth The Queen
Mother, attended by Mrs Patrick.
Campbiell-Preston, Sir Martin
Gllliat, Captain Ashe Windham,
Major Bruce Criffin and Air
Commodore Sir Archie Winskill,
left London (Heathrow) Airport
today in a Canadian Forces Boeing
707 (Lieutenant-Coonel J. W. Ratcliffe) for Canada.

Her Majesty was received at the Airport by Lieutenant-Colonel A. Jardine (representing the Lord Lieutenant of Greater London). Lieutenant of Greater London).

The following were also present and took leave of Her Majesty:
Her Excellency Mrs Jean Casselman Wadds (Canadian High Commissioner), Brigadier-General B. T. Burgess (Canadian Defence Adviser), Mr W. Ross DeGeer (Agent General for Outario) and Mr Michael Maine (Deputy Director, Heathrow Airport).

KENSENGTON PALACE July 2: The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon was present this evening at a Reception given by the West India Committee at Haberdashers' Hall.

The Lady Anna Tennant was in attendance.

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Patron, Pestalozzi Children's Village Trust, was present at a Gaia Concert at Herstmonceux Li-Col Simond Bland was in

HATCHED HOUSE LODGE July 2: Princess Alexandra was present this afternoon at a Garden Party held for the Second World present this afternoon at a Caroen Party held for the Second World Reunion of the International Students House (London) Associa-tion in Park Square, WI. Lady Mary Fitzalan-Howard was in attendance.

Latest wills Later estates include (net,

before tax paid)... Clanchy, Mr John Henry, of City of London and Twickenham, solicity of London and Twickenham, solici-tor fi83,992 Clark, Mr Leigh Dallas Stewart, of Bramshaw, Lyndhurst, Hamp-shire 2396,133 A service of thanksgiving for the life of Arbert J. Knight will be held at St Paul's. Covent Garden, on Monday, July 6, at 11.30.

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Bramshaw, Lyndhurst, Hampite of E396,133 for Henry, of Closworth, on Monday, July 6, at 11.30.

> Rhee Kyu-Ho, Minister of Education, Korea. Royal Institution of Chartered

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Surveyors
Mr J. N. C. James, president,
and members of the general council of the Royal Institution of
Chartered Surveyors were hosts at
a luncheon held at 12 Great
George Street yesterday. The
guests were: The Viscount of
Arbuthnott, Sir Maxwell Joseph,
Admiral Sir John Treacher, Sir
Peter Trench, Sir Hugh Wilson and
Mr B. E. Hord.

Butchers' Company
Mr David Cornell, Master of the
Butchers' Company, presided at a
ladies luncheon held at Butchers'
Hall yesterday, Mr Mark Clarfelt,
and Miss Nancy Esterson also
spoke.

#### Dinners

Speaker gave a dinner in Speaker's House yesterday. The guests included: Sir Billy Snedden (Speaker of the Australian House of Representatives), Mr and Mrs William Patient, Mr Charles Irving, MP, Mr Peter Mills, MP, Mr and Mrs Derek Crouch, Mr Michael Montague, Miss Alison Patient, Miss Jeannette Patient, Mr William Patient Jur, Sir Henry and Lady Philips and Mr. Drew Snedden. Scientific Instrument Makers' Company

Company
The Lord Mayor and the Lady
Mayoress and the Sheriffs and
their ladies were entertained by
Mr Robert Davies, Master of the
Scientific Instrument Makers' Mr. Robert Davies, Master of the Scientific Instrument Makers' Company, Mr. S. S. Carlisle, Senior Warden, and Mr. Robert Jennings. Junior Warden, at a dinner held at their hall yesterday. The Master presided and Sir Raymond Brown was the principal guest and Speaker. Other guests included: The Masters of the Glaziers' and the Spectacle Makers' Companies and the Maders-elect of the Glaziers' and the Maders-elect of the Glaziers' and the Cutlers' Companies and Lord and Lady Hughes.

The Queen meeting the Australian team at the Lord's Test match yesterday, Forthcoming and Miss J. A. Hutchings

Captain D. M. Leigh and Miss E. C. Lamb and Miss E. C. Lamb
The forthcoming marriage is announced between David Leigh,
The Parachute Regiment, son of Mr H. Leigh, of Silkstone, Yorkshire, and Mrs J. Leigh, of Woolley, Yorkshire, and Elizabeth, elder daughter of Sir Archie and Lady Lamb, of Wyke Hall, Gillingham, Dorset.
Mr C. C. Sampson and Mrs E. G. Orwin
The engagement is announced be-

marriages

Marriage

The engagement is announced be-tween Colin Simpson, of Tun-bridge Wells, Kent. and Gilly Orwin. of Areej, Muscas, Sultanate of Oman.

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, eldest son of Mr and Mrs J. M. G. Wright, of Swithland, Leicestershire, and Nicolette, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Sidi, of Ilkley, West Yorkshire.

Birthdays today

Mr E. F. Seymour-Rouse
and Miss R. R. Lee-Feithouse
The marriage took place on Thursday, July 2, at Penkridge, Staffordshire, between Mr Edward,
Frederick Seymour-Rouse, only
son of the late Major-General and
Mrs James Seymour-Rouse, and
Miss Rowena Elimouth LeeFeithouse, daughter of Mr and Mrs
John Felthouse.
A reception was held at Pillaton, A reception was held at Pillaton, home of the bride.

Wedding service BBC 2 is to provide subtitles for deaf viewers of its royal wedding coverage.

Kenneth Dover, president, was in the chair, and Lord Todd, OM, was the principal guest. In addition to fellows of the academy, others present included: The Spanish Ambasador.. De Lassio The Spanish Ambasador.. De Lassio

Service dinners

HMS Northwood
The annual ladies' night dinner of HMS Northwood officers was held yesterday at the Northwood Head-quarter Officers' Mess. Llentenaut Commander M. Haller presided and Rear Admiral and Mrs P. G. Ham-Commander W. J. Gibson, commanding officer, received the

The Royal Regiment of Fusiliers
The regimental dinner of The
Royal Regiment of Fusiliers was
held yesterday at Wadham College,
Oxford. Lieutenant-General Sir
James Wilson, Colonel of the
Regiment, presided.

Queen's Own Highlanders (Seaforth and Camerons)
The Duke of Edinburgh, Colonel
a Chief of the Queen's Own High-anders (Seaforth and Camerons) was present at the annual regi-mental dinner held at the Naval and Military Club yesterday.

#### Meeting

Fairbridge Society.
Sir Peter Garran, Chairman of the Fairbridge Society, and members of the council held a reception yesterday at the Royal Over-Seas League after their annual general meeting. Air Chief Marshal Sir Wallace Kyle, president, was present.

The engagement is announced between Paul, son of Mr and Mrs G. Bentiey, of Montagu Square, London, Wi, and Jane Ande, clder daughter of Captain and Mrs B. C. G. Hurchings, of Harriey Wintney, Hampshire,

Mr N. G. G. Desehrock and Miss B. Mac Arthur.
The engagement is announced between Nigel, younger son of the late Mr H. H. B. Desehrock and of Mrs E. J. M. Desehrock, of Cape Town, South Africa, and Brigida, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs C. W. P. Mac Arthur, of Marsh Lift on Doneral. of Marble Hill, co Donegal.

and anss v. L. Hammeton The engagement is announced between David John, elder son of Mr and Mrs Raymond Knight, of Findon, Sussex, and Verunica Lesley, eldest daughter of His Honour Judge and Mrs Rolf Hammetron, of Hove, Sussex

Mr Tom Stoppard, the play-

wright and novelist, who is

Miss Evelyn Anthony, 53; Sir Bernard Burrows, 71; Rear-Admiral Earl Cairns, 72; Sir William Dealdu, 68; Air Marshal Sir Aubrey Ellwood, 36; Sir Eric Franklin, 71; Sir Frank Gibbs, 86; Sir Reginald Goodwin, 73; Lord Hunt of Fawley 76; Vice

Lord Hunt of Fawley, 75: Vice-Admiral Sir Hugh Mackennie, 68; Mr F W Mulley, MP, 63; Mr Stawos Niarchos, 72; Baroness Ryder of Warsaw, 58; Mr Francis Steegmuller, 75; Sir John Wills,

From The Times of Tuesday, July

Mr Bandanaralke, the Prime Minis-

ter of Ceylon, in reply to a ques-tion told press representatives yes-terday that the British Covernment had agreed in principle to the transfer of British bases in Ceylon.

reasser of Brissh bases in Ceylon. He added that the talks were going very well and that "we hope to make a joint statement at the end of this week". He also said that a team of officials would, he hoped, he leaving the United Kingdom

be leaving the United Kingdom soon to survey the transfer. The main position of the Ceylon Government was that the bases should case to exist as such but certain facilities for the British such as staging rights (at the air base at Katyunake) could be worked out as might be mutually agreed on. Mr Bandarnaraike said, also in reply to a question, that agreement.

reply to a question, that agreement, over the naval base at Trincomales might be more difficult.

25 years ago

Mr W. J. M. Rustler
and Miss H. C. Denison
The engagement is announced
between John, elder son of Mr
and Mrs Geoffrey Hustler, of Hags
House, Pickering, North Yorkshire,
and Clare, daughter of Mr and
Mrs Edward Denison, of The Old
Vicence Roseall York

Mr B. H. Leveson
and Mist L. R. Fishel
The engagement is announced between Brian, elder aon of Mrs
Elaine Leveson and the late Dr
lyan Leveson, of Liverpool, and
Lyane, daughter of Mr and Mrs
Aubrey Fishel, of Wallasey.

Mr B. R. Wilkinson and Miss S. E. M. Dobbie The engagement is announced between Brian, younger son of Mr and Mrs W. F. Wilkinson, of Sandwich, Kent, and Susan eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs T. M. Dobbie, of Guildford, Survey.

Mr N. Peyton and Miss S. Rex Mr N. Peyton and Miss S. Rex
The engagement is unnounced between Nigel, younger son of Major and Mrs H. R. Peyton, of Longcombe Well, Tomes, Devon, and Suzanue, daughter of Mr and Mrs G. W. Rex, of Sandy Bay, Hobart, Tasmania.

Photograph by John Manning

Mr A. J. S. Giennie and Miss P. J. Phelan The engagement is announced ne engagement is announced between Angus, younger son of Mr and Mrs R. N. F. Glennie, of East Wittering, Sussex, and Pstricia, elder daughter of His Honour Judge and Mrs A. J. Phelan, of Chiswick, London,

Mr J. S. Drummond and Miss M. M. Wedlake The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place at Marylebone Register Office on Friday, July 17, between John S. Drummond and Marcy M. Wedlake.

# Moreover.. Miles Kington

Here is a selection of pressure having a car number plate with groups that have come into your own initials on, according

Stockbrokers Against Sexism. Smrkbrokers are getting tired of being stereotyped — "stock-broker belt" is one of the gibes they have to bear—but SAS are angry above all at always being thought of as men. "Every time a stockbroker is referred to in the media, it's invariably as "he's", says Adrian. Wardour-Streete, their PR men. "We insist that it should be 'he or she's But surely all stockbrokers are men? "That may or may not be so. It's the prin-ciple that's at stake." Men out of Northern Ireland

Movement A feminist lobby that lays the blame for the Ulster situation fairly and squarely at the feet of men. They point out that all the soldiers, terrorists, policemen, hunger strikers and gunpersons bunger strikers and gunpersons are men, with women only allowed to be victims. Therefore, they conclude with apparent logic, the whole situation could be solved overnight if all men got out of Northern Iteland. They would like to make a start with Ian Paisley.

group, the Campaign Against Pressure Groups Which Choose Names Deliberately To Form Near Initials is sale explanatory. They see it as one worse than tween you and me."

#### British Academy

The British Academy announced the following elections at its annual meeting held yesterday.

The Rev Professor W. O. Chadwick, Master of Selwyn College, Cambridge, was elected president for the cuming year, Professor P. Mathias, treasurer; Professor P. Mathias, treasurer; Professor E. W. Handley, foreign secretary; and Professor G. R. Elton, publications secretary.

Professor E. A. Gellner, Dr. D. M. Lewis, Professor F. R. Paimer, Professor F. M. L. The British Academy announced

groups that have come into your own manage of, according operation in the past month or to their PR man, Wardourtwo. (For a full list, write to Streete. "Oh hello, it's you called ourselves Campaign Against again", says Wardour-Streete. "Yes, we purposely called ourselves CAMARGUE because it's

nothing like the initials of the group. Sort of satirical, really."

Women Against Women.

Apparently the first anti-femine Apparently the first anti-feminist group. But considering that their one aim is to get men into jobs dominated by women, such as charring, pushing tea trolleys, au pairing, and working as secretaries. TV production assistants and behaviorated in the second party of the second production assistants and behaviorated. tants and baby minders, it may well be the first crypto-feminist

organization.
Hands Off Chartham ! As there is no known threat to the Kentish village of Chartham, this movement seemed some thing of a mystery. A phone, call revealed, however, that it had been started to oppose navel cuts as Chatham, but that an unfortunate misprint had invaded all their literature, and they are now committed to pro-tecting Chartham.

Campaign to Eliminate the word Eponymous. "Ri again", says Adrian Wardour-Streete, their PR man. "Yes, we are sick to death of smarty pants who drag the word "eponymous" into the conversation wherever London for Londoners. This is a new group that aims to they don't misuse it, they just search out any Welshmen with overuse it. The other day I second homes in London, and beard a bloke saying that in shear burn them down. They would like to know if anyone can supply them with Clive qualities beautifully, And this morning there was a film critic can be a supply them with Clive qualities beautifully. And this morning there was a film critic can be a supply them with Clive qualities beautifully. CAMARGUE, A new pressure rabbiting on about the epony mous train in The Last Metro.
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Thompson and Professor H. W. R. Wade were elected to the council.
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#### Law Report House of Lords

# Drink-drive tests need not all be in one police station

Pascoe v Nicholson Before Lord Diplock, Lord Fraser of Tullybelton, Lord Russell of Killowen, Lord Keith of Kinkel and Lord Roskill

(Speeches delivered July 2) The provisions of the Road Traffic Act, 1972, do not require that the provision of a breath specimen at a police station, the request for a sample of blood or urine, and giving of such a sample need all take place at the same holice station.

same police station.

The House of Lords in so deciding, overraled a decision of the Queen's Bench Divisional Court in 1969 and held that a decision of the High Court of Judiciary in Scotland in 1971 was

Judiciary in Scotland in 1971 was to be preferred.
Their Lordships allowed an appeal by the Chief Inspector of Constabulary for Devon and Cornwall, from the Queen's Bench Divisional Court (Lord Justice Donaldson and Mr Justice Pocher) and Corpher 30, 1986 Forbes) on October 30, 1980 dismissing his appeal on a case stated by Penzance justices who had dismissed an information against Mr David Ralph Nicholon, of Harbour View Crescent, Penzance, for an offence contrary to section 6(1) of the Road Traffic Act, 1972, (driving with blood-alcohol level above the prescribed limit). The justices had accepted that an building Divisional Court of a blood suscinsen taken at a police station different from that to which the defendant had been taken on his arrest was inadmis-

The Divisional Court had The Jivisional Court had dismissed the prosecution's appeal, being equally bound by the previous decision, but certified as a point of law of general public importance the question: "Whether the provisions of the 1972 Act and in particular sections 6 to 12 thereof require that the provision of a specimen of breath for a breath test

station, the request for a sample of blood or of urine and the giving of such sample of blood or urine must all take place at the same police station".

Section 9 of the 1972 Act provides: "(1) A person who has been arrested under section 5(5) or 8 of this Act may, while at a bolice station, he required by a

police station, be required by a constable to provide a specimen for a laboratory test (which may be a specimen of blood or of urine), if he has previously been given an opportunity to provide a specimen of breath for a breath test at that station under subsection. test at that station under subsection (7) of the said section 8, and either — (a) it appears to a constable in consequence of the breath test that the device by means of which the test is carried out indicates that the proportion of alcohol in his blood exceeds the prescribed limit, or (b) when given the opportunity to provide that specimen, he fails to do so". Section 11 provides: "Any person required to provide a specimen for a laboratory test under section 9(1) of this Act may

thereafter be detained at the police station until he provides a specimen of breath for a breath test and it appears to a constable that the device by means of which the test is carried out indicates that the proportion of alcohol in that person's blood does not exceed the prescribed limit.

Mr Michael Hutchison, QC, and diss Claudia Ackner for the rosecution; Mr J. H. Inskip, OC, and Mr Christopher Jervis for Mr

LORD ROSKILL, with whose speech Lord Diplock, Lord Fraser, Lord Russell and Lord Veith concurred, said that two son's motor cycle near Marazion, Cornwall. They required a breath specimen. It was positive. Mr Nicholson was arrested and taken to Penzance police station. There.

He agreed and was taken to Camborne police station where a specimen of blood was taken by a doctor. On testing, that specimen was found to contain more than twice the permitted quantity of alcohol.

The information was heard by the Penzance justices. At the the information was neard by the Penzance justices. At the close of the prosecution's case it was submitted that there was no case to answer because the evidence of the blood specimen

analysis was inadmissible.

The justices dismissed the information and stated a case for the High Court. The submission for Mr Nicholson was founded on a decision of the Divisional Court (Lord Parker, Lord Chief Justice, Mr Justice Ashworth and Mr Justice Cantley) in Butler of the trace Cantley (1970] RTR

109) that on the true construction of section 3(1) of the Road Safety Act, 1367, the statutory predecessor of section 9(1) of the 1972. Act, it was essential for the provision of the specimen of blood or of urine to take place at the same police station as that at which the requirement to provide that specimen had been made. On May 27, 1971 the High Court

of Justiciary (Lord Clyde, Lord Justice-General, Lord Migdale Lord Johnston) had in a reserved judgment in Milne v M'Donald (1971 JC 40) reached the opposite conclusion and declined to follow The Penzance justices, although they recognized the persuasive authority of Milne, had rightly held they were bound to follow Butler and dismissed the summons. The Divisional Court was also bound by its earlier decision.

Thus the House was invited to

he provided a second breath specimen, which was also positive.

At Penzance police station, Mr present, were indistinguishable on the laboratory specimen and was warned of the consequences of failure to do so.

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The outcome depended on the difficult to believe that the High difficult to believe that the High difficult to believe that the High control of Justiciary overlooked that section, for it disagreed with the Divisional Court. It was argued for Mr Nicholson that section 11, while restricting the liberty of the individual, was designed so that that liberty was not unduly restricted. If a specimen with its actual provided.

The requirement to provide had to be made at the same police station as that where the oppor-tunity to supply the breath specimen for the second breath specimen for the second vices. test had been given. Only those two events had to take place at the same police station, but not the third event referred to in section 9(1), namely, the actual pravision of the specimen for the laboratory

test.

Their Lordships' amention had been drawn to sections \$(1) and (2) and of section \$(2) as should to that where the statute intended to limit or define the place at which a particular event, or events, were to take place it so provided in specific terms.

Section 9(2) opened with "A person while at a hospital ..." might be requested to provide "at the hospital" a specimen. Those were words of limitation as to the were words or initiation as to the place where the requirement could be made and the specimen provided , which were not in section 9(1). Attention was drawn to section 9(7) regarding warning and the absence of any words of limitation as to where the warning chould be given. imitation as to where the warning should be given.
Those submissions found favour with the High Court of Justiciary, but that court did not refer to section 11 (formerly section 4 of the 1967 Act) which provided for detention "at the police station" (his Lordship's

mot unduly restricted. If a "the police station" in that motorist were taken to a police section could legitimately be station after a first positive breath test and then after any second breath test was required to provide a laboratory specimen, he wrongly decided and the decision another police station to provide that specimen, and under section another police station to provide that specimen, and under section the High Court of Justiciary in Milne was to be preferred.

His Lordship would therefore allow the appeal.

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If that was permissible, as his Lordship thought it would be, he saw no reason why in the absence of statutory provision, the motor-ist should not, after being required to supply the laboratory specimen immediately following any second breath test, be taken in another police station where a doctor was more easily available in order to take the blood

Apart from the provisions of section 11, his Lordship had no doubt that section 9(1), read in

drive.

The question had arisen

He might then have to go back whether the House should remit to the first police station to get the case to the justices to ins car in order to go home. That imposed undue restriction on his liberty; the prosecution argument ignored the use of the definite but correct when made, of no case but correct when made, of no case But as Lord Keith had pointed out, if as arrival at a police station the motorist sought a second breath test and there was no suitable breathalyzer available there, there was nothing in the Act to prevent

there, there was nothing in the attitude his Lordship would Act to prevent the police taking propose that exceptionally, and the motorist to another police possibly fortunately for Mr possibly fortunately for Mr Nicholson, the House should only answer the certified question in the negative, for the appeal had been brought to clarify the law rather than to punish defendant.

Solicitors: Robbins, Olivey & Lake for Cornish & Birtili, Ponzance; Burton, Yeates & Hart for Vivian Thomas & Jervis,

A printer's error caused the name of Lord Justice Eveleigh to be misspelt in later editions yesterday.

# **OBITUARY** MARCEL BREUER

Architect who designed tubular steel furniture

Marcel Breuer, the Hungs-rian-born architect who had lived and worked in the United States since 1937, and who for three years before that lived in England, died on July 1 at the age of 79.

Although he became one of

the best-known American architects, he may be remembered longest for his furniture. While he was in Germany at the Bauhaus, and during his later stay in England, he was a pioneer in applying new materials and techniques to the making of furniture, and some of his pieces are classics of

their kind.

Marcel Lajos Breuer was
Born on May 22, 1902, at Pecs,
in southern Hungary, the son
of a doctor. His first ambition was to be a painter and he won a scholarship to the Art Academy in Vienna, where he went in 1920. But he found the training

there too academic, and joined the office of the Viennese architect Bolek. After a short time he left to become a student time he left to become a student at the Bauhaus, still at that time at Weimar. When Walter Gropius moved the school to Dessau in 1925, Breuer went with him as a member of the teaching staff, taking charge of the furniture workshops.

He was much influenced by Constructivism, but his real contribution was to relate the design of furniture to industrial

contribution was to relate the design of furniture to industrial methods of production. He created the first tubular steel furniture, and in 1926 he equipped the new Bauhaus buildings with furniture of this type. He had been intrigued by the appearance of bicycle the appearance of bicycle handlebars, and reasoned that if steel could be bent to form handlebars it could be fashioned to construct furniture.

He also experimented with aluminium furniture and with furniture and with furniture built up out of modular units.
When Gropius retired from

When Gropius retired from the Bauhaus in 1928 Breuer left too, and set up as an architect in Berlin. He had little success and lived largely on the royalties from his furniture designs. As the opportunities to practise the style of architecture he believed in dwindled under the Nazi regime, he spent much time travelling in southern Europe and for a while thern Europe and for a while settled in Switzerland.

In Switzerland he was com-missioned by the Swiss art-his-torian Sigfried Giedion to design, in collaboration with design, in collaboration with the brothers Roth, a pair of apartment buildings in the Dolderthal area of Zurich. Though strongly influenced by Le Corbusier, these buildings still stand as one of the most distinguished architectural achievements of Breuer's long CRIECT. -They were completed in 1935,

and he then came to Britain, setting up in practice in London in partnership with F. R. S. Yorke. No work came their way more important than a few small houses and exhibition buildings, but Mr. Jack Pritchard, proprietor of the Isokon furniture company, commissioned Breuer to design some pieces using new bending and moulding processes for laminated wood. One of these, a reclining chair, became famous and has been much imitated.

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Britain as a refugee from Nazi Germany the year before Crocker Leighton, by wh Breuer, and in the spring of had a son and a daughter.

#### PROFESSOR J. A. LAUWERYS

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Joseph Lauwerys had left
Belgium with his family after
Germany overran his country in
1914. He completed his education in England by obtaining
brilliant honours degrees in mathematics, themistry and physics at Kings College Lon-don in the late 1920s.

He then taught briefly as senior physics master at Christs Hospital school at Horsham before joining the University of London, Institute of Education. The London Institute remained

He was first Lecturer in the methods of teaching science, then Reader in Education and finally Professor of Compara-tive Education from 1947 until his retirement in 1970. In retirement he was appointed first Director of the Atlantic Institute of Education in Halifax Nova Scotia.

To each of his several careers

he brought a clarity of analysis which reflected his continental upbringing, and a respect for observed facts which owed much to his training in the physical sciences. Before the Second World War as a science second world war as a science educator he influenced the work and publications of the Science Masters Association. He was closely involved in the work of the New Educational Fellowship, the Progressive Education movement and other organisations committed to improving international understanding. He built up close relation-

ships with educationists in the United States while retaining his interest in European affairs and the British Empire. During

become professor at Barvard. In the autumn of that year he invited Breuer to join him.

Breuer both taught at Harvard Breuer both taught at Harvard and partnered Gropius as an architect. Together they designed a number of houses which introduced the rectilinear wide-windowed style, then well established in Europe, into the American — and especially the New England — landscape.

The partnership ended in 1941, but Breuer continued to teach at Harvard, Among his students were several, including Phillip Johnson, Paul Rudolph and John Johansen, who later became leading figures in American architecture.

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American architecture.

In 1946 Breuer moved his office to New York. At first he chiefly built private houses, but an opportunity to build on a larger scale came in 1952 when he was one of three architects appointed jointly to design the new Unesco headquarters in Paris, the other two being the Frenchman Bernard Zehriuss and the Italian Pier Luigi Nervi.

The Unesco building, on a site in the Place de Fontenoy, behind the Ecole Militaire, was completed in 1958, consisting of

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completed in 1958, consisting of a three-armed eight-story sec-retariat and a fan-shaped con-ference building. Although some aspects of the design were criticized at the time, it was a considerable achievement to fit an uncompromisingly modern building into so central a part of Renaissance Paris without ming to intrude.

Also in the 1950s Breuer designed the Bijenkorf department store at Rotterdam, a dominating building with large areas of blank walling, and the American embassy at The Hague. He subsequently designed buildings in other parts of Europe and in the Far East and South America, as well as many in the United States. His later work departed somewhat from the early purity of form based on European models and was at times rather mannered, but it was always confident and often spectacular.

often spectacular.

In 1955 he published an autobiographical volume entitled Sun and Shadov. He was awarded the Medal of Honour of the American Institute of of the American Institute of Architects in 1964, and the institute's gold medal in 1968. In the same year he was also swarded the "Jefferson Foundation" medal. He was an honorary Doctor of Arts of Harvard University, and was made an honorary member of a number of architectural institutions, particularly in South America. America.

In 1940 he married Constance Crocker Leighton, by whom he

Professor Joseph Albert
Lauwerys, who was Professor
of Education in the London
University Institute of Education from 1947 to 1970, died
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systems of education in occupied countries were rapidly repied countries were rapidly re-built. He played a role in the establishment of Unesco, was one of its first consultants and served as a member of its Good Offices Commission.

These wide contacts enabled Lauwerys to build up comparawhen he was appointed pro-fessor in 1947, and he quickly organized comparative edu-cation tours to countries in Europe for students at the Institute. He also acted as a consultant for OECD on science education, worked for Unesco projects on the classification of educational systems and on the reform of Brazilian universities. and in a private capacity was advisor to the University of Conception in Chile. He promoted academic and pro-fessional contacts with the Academy of Pedagogical Sciences in Moscow.

For nearly 20 years he was joint editor, with a succession of professors from Teachers College, Columbia, New York, of the World Year Book of

Education. Lauwerys had many honours bestowed upon him, and his writings were extensive. But he will best be remembered as a charismatic figure who always had time for students, attracted from all parts of the world to absorb his insights on edu-

cation.
As the result of deep thought he was able to make extremely complex and difficult issues capable of being understood without over simplifying or vulgarizing them. He leaves a widow and three

### MR RICHARD GOOLDEN

J. W. K. T. writes: Your admirable obituary of Richard Goolden, the actor, virtually conceals the lovable companion, good neighbour and erudite bibliophile that he was. Always kind and generous to others, he spent very little on himself.

His inexpensive trips to France, where he served during the 1914-18 War, were often made with only a knapsack and shoulder-high staff. His destination was usually one of the villages he had come to know and where he was loved for his and where he was loved for his

Billy Gillespie, the former Sheffield United and Ireland footballer, has died at the age of 89. He played almost 500 matches for the Sheffield club, and cantained it when it won the FA cup in the final against Cardiff City in 1925. He won 25 Irish caps.

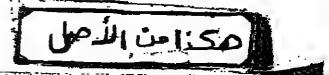
At New College, Oxford, he had gained an honours degree in French. Richard Goolden was a great walker. A 20-mile tramp was not unusual, but 10-mile

walks were frequent and were

cheerful and amusing com-panionship expressed in perfect

made when he was past 80. For many years he served as a sidesman at Chelsea Old Church where hundreds have heard Mr Mole singing a hymn without aid of script while passing round a collection bag.

Sir Noel Arkell, who died on June 22 at the age of 87, was president of J. Arkell and Sons. Ltd, brewers, Swindon. He was political, social and charitable life in the area, and was a former High Sheriff of Wilt-



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More Bristol and other results will be published on Monday.

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Alvis leaves the BL stable, page 19

#### Stock markets FT Ladex 545.9 down 2.8 FT Gilts 65.51 unchanged

#### Sterling \$ 1.8840 down 190 points Index 92.1 down 1.0

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#### Gold \$414.50 down \$11

# Money

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#### IN BRIEF

## NI raises share offer for Collins

Mr Rupert Murdoch's News international yesterday raised nary "A" shares of publishers William Collins Sons (Hold-ings) by 8 per cent to 163p

The move follows talks with the Takeover Panel which was believed to be unhappy with the disparity between the price offered for the voting and non-voting stock. Last week, NI increased its offer for the ordinary shares by 12.5 per cent to 225p, but left the "A" share offer unchanged at 150p. The new offers now value Collins at

around £25m.

But the Panel has yet to reach a decision on whether the 9.5 per cent stake in Collins, bought by NI from Mr Robert Max-well's Pergamon Press broke the rules of the Takeover Code.

#### Japanese imports

The British motor industry had been very successful in limiting the level of Japanese car imports to the United Kingcar imports to the United King-dom by voluntary agreement, Mr George Turnbull, chairman of Talbot UK, said yesterday. Without the efforts of the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, the Japanese would now be taking at least 20 per cent of the British car mar-tet as they had in the United ket as they had in the United States. In 1980 Japanese cars accounted for 11.7 per cent of the British market.

German money target The West German Federal Bank will aim to keep the annual growth rate of central bank money stock within a 4 to 5.5 per cent band during the of this year, At year review of money supply policy, held in Frankfurt yesterday, the bank's central council agreed that there was no need to change the overall 1981 target which envisaged a 4 to 7 per cent growth between the fourth quarter of 1980 and the final quarter of this year.

#### Meat jobs to go

The FMC meat group said yesterday that it may be forced to make further redundancies. The company blamed Danish competitors for forcing margins down. Danish bacon exporters cut their wholesale price in Britain by almost 2p a pound yesterday leaving it about 3p a pound lower than a year ago FMC would not say exactly how many jobs would be lost.

Toyota-Ford talks off

Toyota Motor Company yes-terday suspended talks in Tokyo with Ford Motor Company over its production plans in the United States but denied that threats of an Arab boycott of Toyota products was the main reason. Toyota president Mr. Eiji Toyoda said the suspension was temporary.

#### BL one-day week

More workers at BL's export packing factory at Cowley, Oxford, are to go on to a one-day week. Twenty are already on short time and will be joined by another 75 at the end of the month.

#### Beer output down

Beer production in May fell 9 per cent on an annual com-parison to 3.5 million bulk barrels. Bad weather was to blame, said the Brewers' Society. Production over the first five months of this year has dropped 7.5 per cent compared with the same period last

#### France cuts MLR

The Bank of France bas reduced its seven-day treasury bill discount rate to 19.75 per cent from 22 per cent. The rate is a key market indicator and effectively represents the central bank's minimum lending

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Wall Street lower The Dow Jones industrial average closed at 959.15, down 8.47 on Wall Street yesterday. The S-SDR exchange rate was 1.14252 while the £-SDR rate was 0.606981.

25p to 525p 8p to 138p 18p to 193p 13p to 557p

PRICE CHANGES

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Union Discount Western Areas

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# Cut promised soon in US interest rates

Mr David Stockman, United He added that the States Director of the Office of administration is determ Management and Budget, today predicted lower American in-terest rates and a stronger dollar. He said there will be greater financial market stab-ility and reassured Wall Street

by stressing that the adminis-tration will achieve its re-strained budger deficit targets. Mr Stockman, who is widely viewed as the most influential of President's Reagan's economic advisers, said that the economy is slowing down, inflation is moderating and in coming months interest rates will fall. He noted that there could be money market liquidity squeezes and that these could produce temporary volatility in interest rates and even some short-term

increases.
Such conditions are being seen this week. Today both the Chase Manhattan Bank and the First National Bank of Chicago increased their prime lending rates to 201 per cent from 20

per cent.

The budget director suggested at a press conference that the dollar has advanced in terms of dollar has advanced in terms of European currencies in recent months mainly because of high American interest rates. He said this phase of dollar appreciation is almost over, but added that a further strengthening of the dollar is likely as confidence increases in the currency because of falling inflation.

Mr Stockman said that this dollar strength, reflecting greater American price stability, is beneficial for all nations, because a stronger American economy clearly assists would economic growth.

ne added mat the keagan administration is determined to keep open markets, and maintain free trade and that this week's White House decision to life restrictions on shoe imports from Asia should be seen as a signal of the President's free trade commitment.

trade commitment.

Many traders in financial markets have been fearful that the administration would fail to secure sufficient control of public spending to reduce the budget deficit. Mr Stockman said he would be surprised if the fiscal year's budget deficit

the fiscal year's budget deficit did not come close to the administration's forecast of \$55,000m (£30,555m).

The budget chief said that moves by Congress to delay implementation of planned tax cuts from July 1 to October 1 and to reduce the size of the cuts for the coming fiscal year will produce savings to the Treasury of some \$14,000m. These savings will be offset partly by increased spending in some budget areas; but overall the 1982 fiscal year budget deficit should be lower now than the original White House estimate of \$45,000m.

Mr 6rockman said that the administration will still fiave to

administration will still have to propose further real cuts in propose further real cuts in domestic programmes to balance the budget within three-years. He believes, however, that it is highly realistic, especially in view of the latest budget cutting votes by Congress, for the administration to secure a 5 per cent or lower inflation rate by 1984. He added that it will be essential that the Federal Reserve continues its firm policies and slows annual money supply growth to around 3 to 4 per cent.

# Substantial aid for pound

By Frances Williams

on Britain's official reserves for June suggest that the Bank of England was forced to of England was forced to intervene on a substantial scale during the month to smooth the pound's abrupt fall against the dollar and European currencies. There was an underlying outflow from the reserves of \$388m, the largest drop since October 1979, This compares with an underlying inflow of \$278m in May.

of \$278m in May. Treasury officials, while as usual cautioning that the under-lying outflow reflects a variety of transactions, confirmed that market intervention was sub-stantial. But there has been no

Figures published yesterday change in the Bank of England's change in the Bank of England's policy of acting to smooth excessive fluctuations rather than influence the level of the pound's exchange rate.

During June, the pound fell nearly 7 per cent against the dollar and almost 4 per cent against the Deutsche mark, while its effective exchange rate dropped by 4.3 per cent.

At the end of June, the reserves stood at \$25,631m (£13,223m), a drop of \$856m (£442m) over the month, after

repayment of \$468m of official foreign borrowings.
The Government of the \$2,500m Euro

dollar loan raised in 1974.

# Record profits for GEC

By Richard Allen GEC, Britain's biggest employer in the private manufac-turing sector, overcame the recession to lift pretax profits by £61m to a record £476m in the year to March 31.

The group's cash holding rose £62m to £661m during the period even after outgoings totalling £85m on acquisitions mainly in the United States. Not all the group's divisions escaped the depression and lower profits were made on consumer products and industrial operations. But the big elec-tronics arm showed a strong improvement as did power engineering, which is benefiting

from big international power station contracts for turbine GEC's shares rose 5p to 743p after the announcement of an increase in the final dividend payment of almost 28 per cent. This raises the total for the

by almost a quarter to year by all 14.6p gross. 14.6p gross.

In spite of the strength of sterling, GEC's exports rose last year by almost a fifth to £965m out of a total turnover of £3,462m. The group's end-year export order book was up by a third at £1,209m. third at £1,209m.
GEC's workforce totalled
157,000 at the end of the period,
compared with 153,000 pre-

Scottish & Newcastle, the Edinburgh-based brewer, man-aged to increase profits from its main beer division despite the recession in the industry. However group profits still fell from £39.1m to £33.1m due to higher interest charges and lower profits from other acti-vities. The dividend is unvities. The dividend is un-changed at 6.25p gross.

Although borrowings have risen again, Mr Peter Balfour, chairman, said there were no plans for a rights issue. Financial Editor, page 19

18p to 675p 6p to 69p 22p to 916p

1p to 15p Sp to 297p 5p to 450p 12p to 422p

# Memec besieged by investors

By Rosemary Unsworth More than £250m has been ubscribed for the £5.25m offer for sale of shares of Memer he electronic component dis tributor, in which Stock Exchange dealings are ex-pected to start next week. Charterhouse Japhet, the group's banker, said yesterday that it expected the offer to be at least 50 times over-

subscribed. Last night it was still counting the applications and said that the basis of allocation would be announced today. But it was already clear that the smaller applications would have to go to ballot.

The offer, which represents 35 per cent of the equity, was unusual because the company decided to go for full listing rather than join the unlisted securities market. The offer price of 140p for the 3.75 million shares avail-able now looks certain to show

a premium on the first day of dealing, and one stockbroker, Scott, Goff, Hancock, was recommending purchases at up to 175p a share earlier in the Memec (Memory and Elec-tronic Components), made pre-tax profits of £1.4m on sales of

£7.3m last year.



# Challenge for tomorrow's engineers

the world to bring about a recovery in exports, Sir Michael wanners of The Tunes Engineer-ing Essay Competition yester-day. The winners are all sixth

morrow's engineers will be concerned with wider issues, The competition was spon-be said. However, the difference sored by The Times and the of attitude over the last seven Engineering Careers Informa-

Britain is the best place in years has been dramatic, he Sir Michael also said that women "have a hell of a big contribution to make" to

formers or university students.
One of Britain's problems is that salesmen travel, but engineers do not, he said.
Britain exports 32 per cent of its gross national product, a much higher proportion than many other countries.

But he stressed sheer talent talent was not enough to prop up industry in the forure. To morrow's engineers will be its former of the stressed sheer talent talent was not enough to prop up industry in the forure. To morrow's engineers will be

tion Service, which was formed five years ago to advise young people about careers in engin-eering. In this first year of the competition, 467 students sub-mitted essays. Of these, 399 were from schools or colleges of education, and 68 were from universities or polytechnics. They were written at a time when students were already busy preparing for examina-

There were two top prizes of 1500, one for a fixth former and one for a university student. Mark Rothery of Wellington School, Somerset, won the schools prize, and Andrew Bud of Christ's College, Cambridge, took the university prize.

The subject of the essays was

"What I expect engineers to contribute in the next 30 years to our nation's prosperity Sir Michael presented prizes to the 17 best essayists at the headquarters of the Engineering

headquarters of the Engineering Employers' Federation
Pictured (left to right, back row) are: Richard Beech (Gloucester College of Arts and Technology, Cheltenham), Michael Potts (Haberdashers' Aske's Boys' School, Elstree, Herts), Alexander Stephen (Glasgow University), Andrew Bud '(Christ's College, Cambridge, graduate winner), Peter Mason (Bishops Vesey's Grammar School, Sutton Coldfield), Sonia Bartoluzzi (Haberdasher's Aske's School for Girls, Elstree, Aske's School for Girls, Elstree, Herts), Katherine Williams

(Polytechnic of the South Bank, London), Ruth Jolley (Lough-borough High School for Girls, Loughborough). (Front row): John Webber (Worthing College of Tech-nology, Worthing), Eric Bene-dict (Imperial College of Science and Technology, Lon-

dict (Imperial College of Science and Technology, London), Colin Wright (Harefield County High School, Wilmslow), Stewart Mansfield (Polytechnic of the South Bank, London), Frank Benjamin (Churchill College, Cambridge), Martin King (Polytechnic of the South Bank, London), Mark Rothery (Wellington School, Somerset, sixth-form winner), Somerset, sixth-form winner), Mr J. M. Kendall-Carpenter, headmaster, Wellington School

# BL sells Alvis and its tanks in £27m deal

iary, to United Holdings for £27m.

on making various versions of the Scorpion rank, for sale to the Ministry of Defence and for export to 11 other countries. Government's denationalization programme, and BL's intention of concentrating on its main-stream ectivities of producing cars, orners and ouses.
The buyer, United Scientific Holdings, is a highly successful

British company making military range-finding, optical and electronic equipment, much of which is fitted in Scorpion The deal is a coup for USH. and more or less doubles its

size. It beat several competi-tors for Alvis, and the purchase size. It bear several competitors for Alvis, and the purchase has been approved both by Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Industry, and by the Ministry of Defence. The money will be raised by a rights issue, and completion is expected in September. USH share dealings advantage of USH's international contacts.

"Alvis will be the jewel in Alvis produced about 350 vehicles last year; Its turnover was £60,106,000, and net pretex profits were £6,971,000, more than double the previous year's.

The Alvis workforce of 1,800 is equivalent to the total workit was to sell Alvis, its pro- The Alvis workforce of 1,800 finable Covenury-based subsiding equivalent to the total work-iary, to United Scientific force of USH, which has two foldings for f27m. factories at Tamton, Somerset,
Alvis, once a car manufact. one at Belvedere, Kent, and a as factories in Dallas and Chicago, elsewhere in the United States, and in Singapore.

Mr Peter Levene USH managing director, who will become chairman of Alvis, said the present workforce would not be affected. "We do not

not be affected. "We do not intend to make any significant changes," he said.

Mr Levene, "who had approached Sir Michael Edwardes, BL chairman, in February, said Alvis would have dramatically improved export opportunities as a result of the deal Under Br. Alvis had condeal, Under BE, Alvis had con-centrated on home orders, but now it would be able to take advantage of USH's interna-

# Nuclear financing review

A review of the financial structure of the National Nuclear Corporation was announced yesterday by Mr.
Norman Lamont, UnderSecretary of State for Energy.
It could involve some injection
of money by the Government,

The move is a response to the complaints of the Central Electricity Generating Board that the NNC is under-capitalized at £10m and is therefore unable to zake on the risks involved in building nuclear power stations. It is also evidence of a new

determination in the Government to accelerate the nuclear programme. On Tuesday, it

announced the appointment of Mr Frank Gibb to succeed Mc Denis Rooney as NNC chairman, and set up a task force under Dr Walter Marshall to expedite a design study on the pressurized water reactor.
Mr-Lamont, who was replying

to a parliamentary question, said: I have agreed with the corporation and the generating boards that there should be a review of how the National Nuclear Corporation's role in relation to the major financial risks involved in nuclear power station construction could be strengthened. The views of all the NNC

shareholders will be sought in the course of this exercise."

# Inmos plan for plant in Japan

From Peter Hill Colorado Springs, July 2

Inmos, the semi-conductor company being backed by almost £100m of British Government aid, may establish to help it achieve its goal of becoming one of the world's leading producers of general purpose microchips.

A decision on the location and scale of the next phase of manufacturing investment is likely to be taken early next year by the company in which the National Enterprise Board has a 70 per cent stake, because of the two-year lead time involved in planning.

The Japanese market is a vital one, accounting for an estimated 25 per cent of total world semi-conductor sales. Innos, which faces competition from Japanese companies, is nevertheless keen to carve out a large, share of the market. A decision to go ahead with direct investment in Japan, almost certainly through a joint venture with a Japanese micro-

electronics company, would raise doubts about the company's original plans to supple-ment its United Kingdom pro-duction facility, now being built at Newport, Gwent, with a second British plant. Work on the first part of the

Newport project is going according to plan after being delayed by the Government's indecision over the provision of a second £25m tranche of capital. The Welsh plant is due to begin production new summer. to begin production next summer and will employ about 1,000 workers:

Dr Richard Petritz, one of the or Richard Petritz, one of the company's three founders, and its chairman, said that ideas on Japan were at a very preliminary stage. Earlier this year, however, Inmos appointed Matsushita; Electric-Trading Company as its Japanese distributor. Dr Petritz said: "The first base is marketing. But it is fair to say that we are investigating the possibility of going further than that."

# Italy given ultimatum over EEC steel pact

Italy has so far failed to are strong enough to jeopardize approve formally the agreement the pact or whether the delay setting out the conditions under results from the recent change which the European steel indus- of government in Rome. try is to operate.

line for giving written agree-ment to the pact worked out by-EEC industry ministers in Luxembourg a week ago. At a meeting of representa-tives of the 10 member states in Brussels today, Italy was given until 2 pm tomorrow to approve the deal.

failed to meet yesterday's dead-

Government

Italy is believed to be dissatisfied with some aspects of the social part of the agreement, which calls upon member states to help pay for short-time working and early retirement for steelworkers in Britain,

France and Belgium. But it was unclear today whether the Italians' objections

EEC to cut back sharply the output of those products still the third quarter of this year. The Commission called for a 27 per cent cut in the production of hor strip more than three millimetres thick, a 28 per cent cut, in cold and hot strip of less than three millimetres, a 17 per cent production cut for galvanized strip and a 30 per cent cut in output of reinforcing bars and merchant bars. No produc strip are to be cut by 31 per

# Blundell-Permoglaze

Interim Statement

	Half ? (unand 30.4.81 £000		Full Year 31.10.80
Sales	10,690	10,796	23,703
Profit before Tax	313	540	1,840
Earnings per		11.	
Ordinary Share	225	3 00	63

Ordinary Share 1.60p 1.60p



announced.

Dividend per

Points from the Statement by the Chairman, Robert White:

\*The continuing recession has had its inevitable effect on our interim results.

\* Exports have recovered well and are exceeding expectations.

Results of second half-year expected to be similar to corresponding period last year.

\* Continuing strong liquid position. \* Acquisition of Federated Paints Limited

\* Interim dividend maintained at 1.60p per share.

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Publishing group joins the video revolution

# Pearson seeks gold from the silver screen

Pearson Longman, the media empire which contributes reading matter to most British homes, yesterday took the plunge and joined the video

Mr James Lee, Pearson's chief executive, forecast that within five years the group would have as much capital employed in making films and television programmes as in each of its four divisions—the Financial Times group, Westminster Press, Penguin Books, and Longman the publishers. A few days after announcing its intention to buy a 25 per cent stake in Yorkshire Television, it is to launch Goldcrest Films and Television, a films and video company, to handle the expansion of the group's

It has recruited Mr Mike

Wooller, the distinguished pro-

gramme maker who is a former Mr Lee, who will be chairman chairman of the British of the new company, said yes.

Academy of Film and Televiterday that he would announce sion, Arts and at present head a series of programme titles of documentaries at Thames, and officers for it in Septem-Television to run GFT's teleber. vision operations.

A number of leading inde-pendent producers, including Mr David Putmam, whose films include Chariots of Fire and Midnight Express, are also expected to join the company. One of the new company's first projects is likely to be a television serial of The Far Pavilions, the bestselling paperback which was one of Penguin's successes during a lean period in publishing two years

Goldcrest is also expected to make a series of educational programmes using its vast library of titles acquired through Penguin and Longman: film on the life of Ghandi: The fastest growing markets

"We feel that over the decade that is coming there is going to be an enormous growth in demand for high quality film and television programmes. It is rather ironic in some ways, because the 1970s have not been particularly good for film and relevision", he said. Pearson already has some ex-

perience of film financing. It is part owner, with the National Coal Board Pension Fund, Electra House and others, of Goldcrest Films International which has been involved in film production and is a leading backer of Sir Richard Attenborough's

new company will own around 40 per tent of GFI.

Mr Lee said that in addition, Pearson would establish a fund of £5m for deficit financings of television programmes, and, in conjunction with outside-investors, create a further two pools of finance for programme production. If its targets were met, it would have between met, it would have between £25m and £30m under its control for financing film and tele vision productions.

Although a number of smallscale, independent production companies have been formed with the main intention of producing for Channel 4, the new commercial channel, Pearson's is the first large scale involvement of a big British company outside the entertainments field in producing material for what is expected to be one of the

# Plea for training strategy to replace apprenticeships

flexible training strategy to replace apprenticeships was urged yesterday by Dr George Tolley, Principal of Sheffield City Polytechnic and chairman and under-educated and conthe Government Further Education Unit.

"The kindest thing that wecan say of apprenticeship is that it is dying Let it die," Dr Tolley told the first National Education and Training Conference at Birmingham.

He said the apprenticeship system was too long, did not require any entry qualifications, and supported the mistaken view that it provided a craft for life. It also encouraged exclusion solely on grounds of

Dr Tolley advocated a statutory framework for education and training, reform of the examination system to make it more cost-effective, and flexible further education or training for those beyond school age.

He said all young people should have the opportunity of vocational preparation and that adult training, including in-company schemes, should be

Universities colleges and polytechnics should put forward

Fiat wins

of market

From John Earle Rome, July 2

Fiat has succeeded in in-

creasing its market share for cars in Italy and abroad, Signor

Covanni Agnelli, the chairman, told the annual meeting in Turin today. It has done so in spite of lower world demand,

increased penetration by the

Japanese, and the absence of an industrial policy by the Italian government. Thanks to its renewed range of models, its cars have 13.4 per cent of the European and 51.6 per cent of the Italian market

of the Italian market.

The meeting approved the 1980 accounts of the parent holding company, which closed with a L50,980m (£22.6m) profit, in spite of a L130,100m loss from Fiat Auto, the car manufacturing subsidiary. Fiat is to launch a L200,000m bond issue to help finance capital investment. It will be at a variable interest rate, and for a

able interest rate and for a

Last year Fiat Auto produced 1,478,900 cars, 2.5 per cent less than the year before. Sales abroad dropped by 15.7 per

road dropped by 15.7 per cent.

Flat, Italy's biggest private group, employs 342,654 staff, 272,984 of whom are in Italy.

The company, faced by falling demand, has had to make temporary layoffs. The unions

staged a three hour strike

against this yesterday but the

action was only partially successful.

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of the Italian market.

period of seven years.

more

Legislation to establish a new, their priorities, to prepare for legislation.

The present situation, Dr Tolley said, was of a populasequently ill-equipped to meet the challenges facing a modern industrial nation".

Coincidentally, Cooperative Retail Services (London Region) has just announced a campaign to recruit 90 young people onto scheme requiring applicants to have On levels in mathe-matics and English Starting salary for the two-year course is £2,600.

A five-year programme to extend and modernize industrial training throughout the Common Market has been drafted for the European Economic Commission (writes Mark Jackson). It includes legislation obliging member countries to provide vocational preparation for all school leavers and young workers by 1990.

The programme is set out in a report which has been procured by the Community's vocational training committee for submission to employment ministers. It has been prepared by a team of consultants headed

Volvo Trucks (GB) is con-

ducting a 12-month survey to identify the extent to which unapproved reconditioning of

truck engines is affecting its position in the United Kingdom

ommercial market. At presen

it has a 20 per cent share with sales of between 3,000 and 3,500 vehicles a year.

The survey, being conducted through the Volvo dealer network, 140 selected operators and general research, will pro-

vide the group with data on the scale of the problem, and alert

customers to the risks involved in fitting engine units, recon-

Tests at Volvo's Skovde

engine plant in Sweden on four

reconditioned power units bought in Europe, including one from Britain, showed some hor-

rific results, the company said

Results of the tests also high-lighted the low-quality work-manship often found in these non-approved units, and how

expensive these supposedly low-cost engines could be for operators.

engines examined were so bad that instances of piston seizure

were recorded in the first two hours' running, worn compo-nents were used in the rebuild-

ing, wormout turbos had been fitted, engines leaked both bil and water, blocks had been

Volvo said that some of the

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ditioned

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in London.

Volvo inquiry into

engine rebuilding



Dr George Tolley: "Let apprenticeships die."

Dr Ron Johnson, a former director of training at Britain's Manpower Services Commission. The report argues that effec-tive training is becoming essential to the survival of the EEC countries—not just because of technological change, but be-cause the ability of multi-

wrongly ground, cylinder heads, blocks and pulleys had been welded, and a fuel pipe had been soldered in 22 places to

The power output of other engines examined was substanti-

ally lower than it should have been, while the fuel pump of one unit was feeding 17 per

cent more dery into the engine

Mr Blair Campbell, head of

Volvo Trucks (GB) service ex-

change department, said that the standard of some workman-ship was abysmal and could have only led to trouble and breakdowns very quickly.

Engines reconditioned by

non-approved service plants cost

about £2,300 each, compared with Volvo's price of £2,900.

This was, the company claimed, the price between a good and

bad product. "We think we can

show our whole-life costing is as economic as anyone's", the

Volvo said it has no objection

to reconditioning being carried out by non-approved companies,

as long as the quality was con-sistent with the company's own

Although legal control was

difficult, there was great dif-ference between a "recondi-tioned Volvo engine" and a "Volvo-reconditioned engine", a spokesman said. The company

plans to increase the number of its UK retail parts outlets.

repair leaks.

than was necessary.

nationals and other large com-panies to switch production around the world means that they will have to have well-trained and flexible workforces in order to attract and keep work. At the same time, train-ing is needed to enable workers to cope with change and to help the Market's eight million

unemployed. The report says that the com-mission and its centre for vocational education have car-ried our studies which show clearly the need throughout the Community for improved training and education for school leavers, adding that each country should be left to meet agreed minimum standards in its own way. However, the report says that there should be at least a year's vocational pre-paration for leavers.

paration for leavers.

A European trainers' club which would bring together experts from all the EEC countries to work out problems is proposed. The report also says that it is time to coordinate the activities of the European social fund and the regional funds so that subsidies given to areas for industrial given to areas for industrial development can be matched by funds for training.

# Wales gets 40% of EEC grant

Wales benefits more than any where beneath more than any other region in the United Kingdom under the second tranche of the year from the European Regional Develop-ment fund,

Under the scheme, the principality will receive more than £12.5m, which accounts for 40 per cent of the allocation of E34m- for Great Britain and

Most of it will be used for schemes that assist industry either directly or indirectly.

Roadworks, sewage plants and water pipelines will be built with the money to benefit in-dustrial undertakings. Two big beneficiaries receive Two fig. beneticiaries receiving between them sknost £2.5m are British Gas and British Telecom, organizations which last year made huge profits.

Mr Franz Froschmaier, the new head of the EEC Information. Division, conceded that these grants to weakly organizations demonstrated a weakless in the system that Brusses in the system that Brusses.

ness in the system that Brussels was seeking to resoive.

England has been allocated 19.6m. One third of this will go to the north where projects include the building of a railway, with new stations, and the reconstruction of two existing stations, in the Tyne and Wear

Scotland is allotted smallest share of aid, £4,203,000.

# to build robot controllers

Telecom warning on

About 100 delegates rep- not be required to provide the esenting telecommunication same level of support for the

dearer phone bills

Video terminals designed and manufactured in Berkshire will be used to control the robots of Unimation of Unimation, one of the world's largest suppliers of in-dustrial robots. The terminals made by New-

The ferminals made by Newbury Laboratories, part of the Data Recognition Instruments Group which is owned entirely by the National Enterprise Board (NEB), will be used to programme Unimation's robots called Programmable Manapular According (NIMA) lator for Assembly (PUMA).

An initial £60,000 contract has been won by the British company for the supply of more than 90 terminals and 30 matrix printer terminals. computer, the terminals will allow the user to programme the robot. Each parameter defining the speed of the robor, its sequence of operations and certain critical distances, will

users and equipment manufacturers will assemble in London today to discuss the implications of provision by the private sector of telecommunication services in competi-

tion with the state-owned

British Telecom.

British Telecom yesterday published its response on the economic implications of such

competition being allowed. The report, which has been sub-mitted to Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Industry,

is the corporation's reply to th

Government's own study, which was conducted by Professor Michael Beesley, of the London Business School

Alternative networks, claims the corporation, could be responsible for creaming off

much of the revenue from the lucrative trunk routes. An

increase in charges, particularly for home telephone users would

British Telecom is seriously concerned that private opera-

cheaper services, since they may

result automatically.

through the terminals into the robot control computer.

The new industrial robots of Unimation are being manufactured at the company's new 35,000-square ft plant in Telford, Shropshire.

NEB offshoot wins order

the new range of the company's robots will not only be made in Britain but that 94 per cent of the components for the PUMA will be supplied by British. manufacturers.

Britain has been lagging behind most of the western industrialized countries in its acceptance of robots and other forms of sophisticated industrial automation. A study con-ducted in February by the showed that there were 371 robots working in British industry giving the United Kingdom

national network as British

According to the corpora

tion's argument, Telecom would remain the principal network provider and would be required

to carry the overflow from alternative networks.

"If British Telecom did not benefit from revenues on the

sixth place among the robot At the top of the league is Japan (6,000) followed by the United States (3,500), Sweden (1,200), Germany (1,133) and Italy (400).

The Department of Industry The Unimation decision to has been trying to encourage buy from Newbury means that British industrialists to auto-

> The Prime Minister, who opened the Automan '81 exhibition in Brighton in May, criticized those British-manufacturers who refused to automate. About £1.3m a year is being earmarked by the Government for the advancement of robots research, application and manufacture.

That figure is expected to rise to £2.7m by 1984.

The NEB, which owns Newbury is currently investigating how it can best encourage British industry to use robots.

By Nicholas Cole

oil rigs was discussed last night at the House of Commons by Members of Parliament and trade union representatives who have championed their

alternative networks it would have to carry the costs of standby plant for this traffic," the corporation claims. According to the corporation : Implementing the Beesley recommendations would have serious effects on the residen-Working closely with tial customer, especially outside main centres. British Telecom would be obliged to rebalance its tariffs in order to make individual sectors pay for them-

This could mean, the corpor ation says, raising each year a further £135m on the pasphone service, with a 20p minimum charge, and £450m from residential customers, approximately £30 for each one.

Business Appointments

### Kleinwort directors

Mr. P. J. Parsons and Mr. P. R.

Richwood liave been appointed to the board of Kleinwort, Benson. Mr. D. L. M. Robertson has retired from the board, but continues as a director of Kleinwort, Benson, Lonsdale. Mr. J. A. Spall has been made managing director of Sharps, Pirkey and Mr. A. F. Raker and Mr. N. R. Newitt have been named to the board of Sharps, Pirkey. Mr. C. R. M. Kemhall, Mr. I. R. Peacock, Mr. A. P. G. Stanley-Smith, and Mr. B. P. White have been appointed assistant directors of named to the board of Stone-Platt appointed assistant directors of Kleinwort, Benson and Mr J. L. Ernest, Mr R. D. C. Prichard, and

Kleinwort Benson Investment Management.

Sir David Scort is to be vicechairman of Klienman Lines. He
will succeed to the chairmanship
of the group in January 1982 on
the retirement of the present
chairman, Mr. Dennis F. MartinJenkins, Sir David joined Ellerman
Lines' board in March as a nonexecutive director.

Mr A. E. Warnly has been
named to the board of Stone-Platt
Industries as a non-executive director.

# Rigs'use of foreigners criticized

Working closely with the unions, including the National Union of Seamen and the Transport and General Workers' Union, they will monitor progress on current legislation, and press for amendments as the need arises. "We are generally working together to get a package of workers' rights to be launched at Aberdeen in October," Mr Dennis Canavan, Labour member for West Stirlingshire, said. According to the NUS, the basic problem is that of non-EEC labour: "The oil companies are using foreign Isbour,

ment estimate of the number ment estimate of the number of foreign workers on the rigs was based on a 1979 survey, which disclosed a figure of 7.9 per cent of the workforce.

"We're convinced it's considerably higher. I have put down a series of questions ask-

ing Government to do a separate census of the rigs." Mr Canavan added. He has also discussed with ministers the possibility of extending the immigration laws to cover the rigs.

# \$7.1m wasted A United States Energy Department report reveals that department officials wasted \$7.1m (about £3.7m) or in adequate, often defective, drill rigs in a rush to build up the

cause.

we're after is British people

A charter of rights f British workers on North S

ization 'problems, pay and conditions. The meeting followed the formation two weeks ago of a working party of MPs to study the problems of labour in the North Sea.

panies are using foreign labour, and it's not on. We have got something like 3,500 people sitting on the beaches. What

first," a spokesman said. Mr Canavan said a Govern-

# strategic petroleum reserve. The report quoted an unassed drilling manager as saying most of the rigs looked as if they had be reconstructed from a scrap

On the agenda were matters including foreign labour, safety standards, tax and union organ-

Last February, Mr Hamish Gray, Minister of State for Energy, said that Mr Canavan had asked the Offshore Sup-

West German unemployment rose to 1.13 million, or 4.8 per cent of the workforce, in June from 1.11 million in May, United States unemployment fell to a seasonally adjusted 73 per cent in June from 7.6 per cent in May. Investment in Peru

More German jobless

Japan urged

to reduce

trade curbs

Mr Arthur Dunkel, director, general of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trafe (GAII), has joined those talling on Japan to reduce barrier to imports, the Asian Wall Street Journal reports.

He told a meeting of here

He told a meeting of business

leaders in Tokyo that he realized that Japan observes the rules of international trade as faithfully as any other inde-

trial country.

But he said Japan's expert
policies would be easier to

defend if Japan would find it appropriate to look at some aspects of its own import policy. He also cautioned against Japan's use of bilateral trade

Japan's use of materal trade restraints to solve trade problems. "I see a great danger that the multilateral trading system as a whole will fall to pieces if this kind of soluting becomes the rule," he said.

The Peruvian Government is

foreign investment there and is trying to modify regulations which limit the amount of profit that a foreign investor can take from the country. Yamaha Spain project

The Yamaha Motor Company, one of Japan's leading makers of two-wheeled vehicles, will assemble motor cycles in Spain from 1983 to offset a ban as imports made outside the Euro-pean Economic Community. Post for McNamara

Robert McNamara, retired resident of the World Bank, s to join the board of Coming class Works. He served in Secretary of Defence in the Johnson and Kennedy Municipal Regions and is a former president of Ford Motor Co.

Australian inflation

Australian inflation is likely to accelerate over the remainder of 1981 before peaking in December and moderating in 1982, the Commonwealth Banking Corporation said

Italian reserves fall Italy's net official reserves fell \$312m (about £166m) in April to a provisional \$52,300m from \$52,600m in March.

N Zealand deficit

to May 31, 1980.

a deficit of NZ\$560m in the year

# Scottish & Newcastle Breweries Limited



Results 1981

Preliminary announcement

The audited results for the 53 weeks ended May 3, 1981 are as follows:

	£M	£M
Turnover	587-7	498-0
Operating profit	48-1	46-1
Associated company		1.4
Financiai income	2.0	1.5
	50-1	49-0
Less: Financial expenses	17-0	.9-9
Profit before taxation	33-1	39-1
Less: Taxation	4-1	10-1
Profit after taxation	29 0	29-0
Less: Extraordinary items	33	
Attributable to Scottish & Newcastle		
Breweries Limited	25-7	29.0
Less: Preference dividends	0.5	0-5
Attributable to ordinary shareholders	25.2	. 28-5
Less: Ordinary dividends	12-4	12-4
Profit retained	12.8	16-1
Earnings per ordinary share before extraordinary items on 281.8 million shares (1980 281.0 million shares)	10-1p	10-1p

In the 53 weeks ended May 3, 1981, the current cost profit before taxation was £21-3m, the amount attributable to ordinary shareholders after extraordinary items £13-5m and the profit retained £1-1m. Current cost accounts for the previous year have not been prepared.

- Operating profits were slightly ahead, but higher finance charges led to 15% fall in pre-tax profits.
- Wholesale beer profits showed a satisfactory improve-
- Lower profits produced by other activities.
- Particularly disappointing year for hotels.
- Reduced tax charge arising from continued investment programme and purchase of EMI Hotels.
- \* Earnings per share before extraordinary items main-
- Recommended final dividend 2-875p making a total for full year of 4:375p—the same as 1980.

The annual general meeting will be held in Edinburgh on August 20, 1981 at noon. The proposed final dividend will be paid on August 27, 1981 to ordinary shareholders on the register at the close of business on July 29, 1981.

The annual report and accounts will be posted on July 28, 1981. Additional copies can be obtained from the Company Secretary, Scottish & Newcastle Breweries Limited, Abbey Brewery, Holyrood Road, Edinburgh.

Highlights from the circulated statement of the Chairman, Mr. J. T. Bremner, for the year ended 31st January, 1981:

- \* The decline in Trading Profit was mitigated by the increase in interest receivable. The effect overall is that the profit before taxation is marginally down from the previous year which I consider to be satisfactory in a difficult trading year.
- \* Trading Profit amounted to £376,726. When Interest receivable for the year is added to this figure there is a profit before taxation of £544,964 (£568,202 last year). An Interim Dividend of 1.15p per share has been paid and the Directors are recommending a Final Dividend of 3.15p net per share for the year.
- \* It is impossible to predict the outcome for the current year due to the uncertain economic conditions of the Government's squeeze and consumer spending: Trading remains difficult whilst costs continue to rise especially utility costs and local . authority rates.

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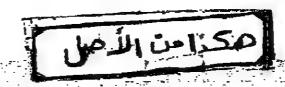
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BY THE FINANCIAL EDITOR

# GEC's armour plating

GEC's imperious glide through the worst recessionary conditions still shows no signs of faltering. Full-year profits up 15 per cent at £476m were at the very top of market expectations and encouraged a rise of 5p to 743p in spite of disappointment that a long-hoped-for share-split had failed to materialize. Of course, stripping out net interest and investment income on the group's famous cash hoard—£69m against film previously—gives a more sober growth rate of under 7 per cent. But then cash management has always been one of GEC's greatest strengths.

Last year was not without its problems, the consumer products division turned in profits £8m down at £13m, while com-ponents, cable and wire managed only a f4m increase to £39m, in spite of the inclusion of Avery's, whose results fell far short of the £14m prior to the takeover. But the main powerhouse, electronics and telecommunications, lifted profits £25m to £150m, while power engineering lifted its £160m, while power engineering lifted its contribution a third to £61m. More surprisingly, the industrial division, exposed more than most of GEC's activities to the general economic malaise, held its profits downturn to 121 per cent at £42m, thanks chiefly to a strong performance in diesels, where management read the outlook correctly and made the right capacity

GEC shares now sell on a p/e ratio fullytaxed of around 18, current cost earnings are strong and the yield is 2 per cent after are strong and the yield is 2 per cent after a 24 per cent dividend increase, a demanding rating but not one likely to attract profit-takers. The order book is every bit as strong as the GEC balance sheet with exports alone up a third at £1,209m, even before the £550m Hongkong power station contract announced last month. Meanwhile, even after outgoings of £85m on United States acquisitions, the cash hoard has risen £62m to £661m, although £200m of this total represents customer advances and £120m could flow out next year on re-demption of the capital notes issued during

the days of dividend restraint.

There is still potentially one grey cloud. on the horizon in the shape of the Government's pending decision on whether or not to back Marconi's Stingray heavy torpedo project in the face of an American alternative. But such is GEC's overall strength, that the share rating could ride even disappointment on this front with equanmity.

Shareholders of NCC Energy might be slightly jet-lagged by the progress of their shares since Mr Graham Ferguson Lacey bought in and took over two years ago. The price has jumped from an equivalent of 12\p to touch 152p before closing unchanged yesterday at 130p on the group's annual results to last March. They might be less excited on the group's record pretax loss of £2.1m. on a turnover of £27.6m. But the pill is sweetened by an effective 25 per cent rise in the total dividend to a gross 1.928p, paid once again from extraordinary share-dealing profile—this time the 17m on disposal of Week's shares. Next year, Mr Lacy admits there will be no such profile, but by then the group hopes to be part of a much bigger American-based group, Simplicity, giving the merged group assets of £125m and the promise of cash-flow from NCC oil wells.

Plainly, the message is to ignore the present and look to the horizon of profits from base mtals and oil. Meanwhile, NCC shareholders vote in three months on the Simplicity deal. The difficulty in valuing NCC and then taking account of Simplicity warrants which have not yet been issued, as well as taking a view on sterling will mean that shareholders will have to put their faith in Mr Lacey's entrepreneurial talents.

Scottish & Newcastle

#### The financing burden

On the surface, Scottish & Newcastle has turned in another dull set of results. Pretax profits are £6m lower at £33m-less than four years ago—and although earnings per share were maintained largely thanks to the £4m tax credit acquired with the EMI hotels, the shares reacted with a 2½p fall to 65p, to yield 9.6 per cent on an unchanged dividend.

The silver lining behind this is the success of heer wholesaling in the face of failling national beer sales. For, despite a strike. costing over £1m and its exposure to high companies.

unemployment areas, S & N pushed up beer wholesaling profits from £29m to £36m at the operating level. The work put into raisthe operating level. The work put into raising production efficiency and improving beer distribution, together with the price rises of the past year, must take most of the credit for this. The group has also benefited from improving its lager range and volume growth here has helped to keep the drop in beer volume to less than the national

Elsewhere, hotels, tied houses and the wines and spirits side all made less, but group operating profits were still ahead and the real damage has come from the jump in interest payable from £9.9m to £17m. Nearly £3m of this rise related to the £23m hotels aquisition, but there was still an underlying cash outflow of £17m. So net debt of £132m is now equal to half of shareholders' funds. The real problem, though, is the level which income gearing has now reached and any relief from lower interest rates may still be

S & N has gone a long way to sorting out its historic problems on the heer side and improving the inadequate return on assets, but now the economic climate and state of the beer market may prevent much further progress for the moment and, although the hotels side should do better this year, group profits may be little changed. For the time being, then, the shares rest on the aboveaverage yield.

United Scientific

#### **Military** adventure

BL's sale of its Alvis military vehicle sub-sidiary is a further indication of the group's determination to get back to the basics of car, truck and bus manufacture, but, in strictly financial terms, the £27m it will raise is neither here nor there in the context of losses running at an annual rate of over £500m. For the purchaser, United Scientific, the deal marks a significant shift of emphasis about which there were mixed feelings

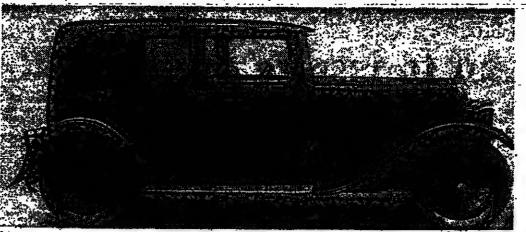
United Scientific has the sort of record to make any company chairman envious. Profits and net assets have jumped more than tenfold since 1974 and the latest return on shareholders' equity was a dreamy 31 per cent, based on high value-added of Surrey to build a new type of robot.

The production units are now being made by a young, high-technology company in Somerset and among the first batch of orders are some from Germany. Talks are taking place with the Welsh Office about a factory in the principality which could employ 150 people within three of four years.

In spite of the rapid pace in component production for military optical equipment. The Alvis acquisition more than doubles the size of the company and takes it into the very different area of building military vehicles, where United Scientific will find it hard to achieve the same return on capital employed. In addition, the cycle for military vehicles is rather different to its existing business and while demand looks promising at the moment the outlook further ahead to 1983 looks distinctly cloudier.

So United Scientific will have to weather some dilution in the quality of its earnings and very probably in earnings themselves with last year's Alvis earnings of £7m excep-tional if the purchase is to be funded mainly from a rights issue. But the group has plenty of leeway to take more debt on board with net cash of £1m in the last balance sheet. For perspective the £27m acquisition compares with a market capitalization of £85m at yesterday's suspension price of 447p and the record on acquisitions is good enough to suggest the group can digest Alvis comfortably.

 The dismissal of the William Press tax case can hardly put the directors in a mood to consider, the widely anticipated bid proposals, but the shares have sped up from 65p to 78p in a week. At 65p, the shares were chean, now on fundamentals they look no more than fair value and a market capitalization of £47m will scare off smaller predators. Press is lucky as a hybrid of construction and engineering to be in process plant, with a large North Sea business and a second-half recovery last year had 1980 pretax profits up to £8.2m from £6.6m. At the top of the last boom, in 1978, they were £12.7m. Press will probably report between £9m and £10m this year, but hopes of returning to 1978 levels next year depend on a general upturn in business which has yet to start. At 78p, the shares yield a prospective 5.7 per cent and sell at around 10.5 times earnings which put them alongside other contracting and engineering



A prewar Alvis 12/50 hp four-door saloon and a Scorpion light tank which took shape on the drawing board in 1967.

# The Alvis military vehicle company is being sold. Edward Townsend reports nother famous name leaves BL's stable

Sir Keith Joseph's battered reputation got a small boost yesterday, when BL announced the sale of its profitable Alvis military vehicle company in

Coveniry.

The sale will pump another £27m into BL's depleted coffers, bringing the total amount raised by the company's disposals this year to £52m. It will also help to vindicate the Secretary of State for Industry's decision to recommend to his Cabinet colleagues earlier this year that the group was worthy of a further injection of public money totalling £990m over the next two years.

Sales of BL activities judged by the company's board to be pereipheral to the mainstream car and commercial vehicle operations have been taking place for the last two years and to date have raised £79m.

Sir. Michael Edwardes, the BL chairman, has told Sir Keith and other ministers that unless the group concentrates peripheral to the mainstream hives off non-essential businesses, then the chances of Erram. peripheral to the mainstream hives off non-essential businesses, then the chances of Britain maintaining an indigenous car industry and holding its own in the competitive European market are negligible.

Although there were no specific conditions applied to

The ruthless simplifications of mechanical hardware is being used by mechanical engineering lecturer at the University of Surrey to build a new type of robot.

In spite of the rapid pace in robotics being set by other countries, notably Japan, Dr Paul Drazan's robot—a single arm with sets of hands flexed by a microcountries.

by a microcomputer—is unique.
Czech-born Dr Drazzi, eged
46, has brought to the university the continental perspective.

on engineering which seems to have been lacking in Britain in

and electronic engineering and

fluid mechanics in new ways,

to robotics.
With one of his doctoral

students in the mechanical engineering department, Dr Drazan carried out a survey on

robots and their applications. A

another, operating between a

pair of hand set stops.
"So, on the one hand we had

application.

art of engineering, the

the granting of the £990m of additional aid—which brought the total amount of public money given to the company since 1975 to £2,065m—Sir Keith made clear to the BL directors that he granted PI directors that he expected BL
to contribute to its 'funding
needs from internal sources including disposal of commercial
assets where this made commercial tense

During the next two years it is estimated that BL will have to raise at least f33m in addition to the 1990m of state support and with losses continuing, on Sir Michael's forecast, until 1982, it is clear that there will be little in the way of retained carnings to finance the additional amount.

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less it can be shown that BL's streamlining operation includes sneamining operation includes raising significant amounts of capital as well, as demanning and increasing productivity he may not be able to retain the confidence of the company's private sector bankers. private sector bankers.

The company's 1980 corporate plan envisaged raising £50m from sales of assets, £19m in 1980 and £31m in 1981. Despite the onset of the recession, the 1980 disposals brought in a total of £27m, the main side being the major part of the

AEC truck factory at Southall in West London to a property company for about f10m.

The 1981 corporate plan increased the estimated proceeds from disposals to f70m spread over the next three years. The plans said: "The increase is mainly accounted for by the identification of further assets for disposal."

Given that with the Alvis sale

Given that with the Alvis sale the funds gleaned this year are only £18m short of the target the company is again in a good position to exceed its expecta-

nons.

Its biggest hope must rest with the sale of the big Rover plant at Solibull which employs 3,000 and is to close next April.

Of the £25m already realized this year, £14m has come from two significant sales. Prestoold, MI to former comparison of the factories of the factories of the factories of the factories. ML's former commercial refrigeration business, was sold for 19m to Suter Electrical, the Lancashire-based company in which Mr David Abell, previously managing director of Leyland Vehicles, is a major share-balder.

Another £5m was raised from the sale of the former MG sports car factory at Abingdon Question marks must now hang over BL's two remaining big businesses which are not part of the mainstream activity:

Coventry Climax and Aveling Baiford, both of which have been struggling to regain profitability in the face of declining demand:

The former, an old established fork lift truck manufacturer, is attempting with the aid of what are celled aggressive marketing initiatives " to cope with the most depressed period

with the most depressed period in the history of the fork lift truck industry. Levels of new

business last year were 50 per cent less than in 1979. Aveling Barford, which em-ploys about 1,400 at its Lincolnshire plant producing off-road construction vehicles, has also been making losses but rationali-

BL DISPOSALS - 1981

Prestcold MG factory, Abingdon Aveling Barford, Australia Car parts depot; Canada Sharholding In DOMI distributors, Denmark Remainder of AEC true plant, Southall, London Miscellaneous (mostly pro-perty) sales

Alvis (sales to be completed In September)

atton, including the disposal of its Australian operation, has, BL believes, put it in a good position to benefit from any economic upturn.

The disposal of Alvis marks the departure from the BL stable of another famous name

Alvis began in 1919 with the design and development of high performance sports cars and from the many innovations attributed to the Alvis marque came the company's first air cooled aero engine in 1936. After the last war, Alvis was commissioned by the Ministry of Defence to design and develop the Saladin armoured car, a contract which has led the company deeply into production

of military hardware.

Total output of the Saladin and its derivatives the Saraceu, Salamander and Stalwart was 4,262 vehicles of which many remain to service.

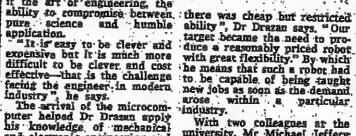
In 1967, Alvis won a new MoD contract for the develop-ment of a tracked reconnaissance vehicle, later known as the Scorpion and dubbed "the sports car tank" because of its Jaguar engine. In the same year, production of Alvis cars ceased.

Last month. Alvis revealed its latest vehicle, the Stormer, a tracked armoured personnel carrier for up to 12 men.

### Technology

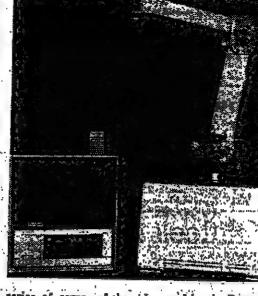
# A pointto-point race for robots

Successful family group : the air-driven robot



With two colleagues at the university, Mr Michael Jeffery and Mr David Bailey, Dr Drazan went for simplicity of mechanical design. This was not only because the microcomputer was capable of juggling the mathematics required but because the simplicity of the cause the cau simpler the design, the more reliable the equipment.

gap was spotted between the expensive, fully programmable robot—which even a few years ago cost up to £45,000—and the much cheaper pick-and-place robot, so called because it merely picks up an object at one point and places it at The computer allowed them shift much of the complexity of robot operations from the hardware to the software. They were able to develop control strategies sufficiently precise to build a robot powered by com pressed air and using motors originally designed for opening and closing the doors of buses full flexibility and great Bigger, more expensive robots expense, while on the other are driven by hydraulics and



use a complex series of servo of the valve used by the Drazan mechanisms—valves which are team is about £20 compared gradually opened and closed to with £600 in the big robots. The allow the accurate flow of the

Dr Drazan opted for the much simpler on-off valves which operate either fully open or fully closed. This made the bot more difficult to control in the development stages—a problem which was overcome by creating new and sophisticated programmes which transfer the complexity of operation from the hardware (the arm and hand) to the computer (the ro-bots problem-solving "brain"). Eventually the Surrey team achieved at least 85 per cent of the applications of the more expensive machines; the cost

new machine is a point to point robot and it is not only able to undertake simple movements but it is also capable of carry-ing out additional tasks.

The basic unit costs about £12,500 compared with around £25,000 for a continuous path model which, for instance, is the type used for paint spraying operations. It has a good power to weight ratio being able to deliver a lot of muscle from lightweight apparatus. The arm swings through an arc of about 1 metre and because the motor is placed at the joints of the limb, there is no need for gears. The machine is taught each

blind person being rehabilitated. It is taken by the hand and shown the job. As each teaching operation is carried out, the stages are punched into a hand-held keyboard which is the size of a pocket calculator.

Following the teaching lesson it can get down to work until it is required elsewhere. Each new job is passed into the

"Its versatility was demonstrated by a request Dr Drazan received from a company which wanted a machine to pick up components and place them in a given spot.

The firm's representative was told that he needed only the simple pick-and-place robot. He was back a short while later saying: "What I really wanted was a machine that can pick up a component hold it to a rima component, hold it to a trim-

down." The Surrey robot could cope with both. It is being made and mar-

Associates which has named it the Placemate. Pendar has licence agreement with the university and the impetus to move into the next generation of rehease. Dr Drazan says is on the

shoulder. But you don't carry out precise operations with the shoulders—that is why we are concentrating on the hand. We think we can translate this more complex use of robots through a greater use of sensors, in the hand parts. The emphasis will be on simplicity:

Peter Brock



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# Business Diary: Advertising Ann and Cinema Verity

Ann Burdus is off to New York? Miss Burdus, the chairman of

the British end of the American advertising agency McCann-Erickson is to become director of strategic planning and development with McCann's parent company, Interpublic. She is succeeded by a man, Jerry Newspapers, magazines, radio

and television will now have to do some strategic planning of their own if they are to develop a replacement for Ann Burdus as the first woman to ring when they are planning knee jerk she's done some good stuff for women, such as the Shoulder To Shoulder series." Business Stay Warm, Feminine

Miss Burdus was a find indeed. But now she is leaving, the media must have such a



McCann-Erickson's Ann Burdus.

What on earth is the media to character, no question about it. do for a token woman now that All we need ask is "Who?". "Verity Lambert", answers

Suzanne Lawrence, to whom I cravenly put the question, wishing to keep out of any argu-ments about the matter with-ladies who objected to my naming or not naming them. Suzanne Lawrence is the edi-

tor of the magazine Personnel Management, and Miss Lambert the attractive, successful and central London-situated chief executive of the Themes TV subsidiary Euston Films. "The thing about Verity Lambert," says Miss Lawrence, "is that she's also a woman

and Genuine.

Attractive, successful and with an office in central London convenient for photographs, the product of the convenient for photographs, the convenient for photographs and the convenient for photographs are convenient for photographs.

though it is now seven years since it was shown. Miss Lambert was surprised but suitably demure when I broke to her yesterday the news of her Token Woman of the Year nomination by Miss

"I don't really think I'm in same league as Ann," she me. "She's done really well, and while I'm flattered, I feel I have a bit of the way to

Euston, Miss Lambert tells me, is working on a new series based upon The Flome Trees of Tika, a dramatization of Elspeth Huxley's reminiscences of her Kenya childhood.

This may open up a career to another lady who a generation



Eusten Films' Verity Lambert in London yesterday.

hence will be portrayed as warm, feminine and genuine whoever is "discovered" to play Miss Huxley when young.

Made to measure Ralph Halpern did not quite have his facts right when he went to work for the Peter Robinson menswear chain 20

years ago.
"My idea," he said yesterday "was to join a small company badly in need of good manage-ment and somewhere I could

move quickly."
He did not know that Peter son, however it may have suited his requirements in other respects, was part of the vast Burton's group. Halpern seems to have clued up since then; next month he succeeds Cyril Spencer on the laster's retirement from the chair of Burton.
Halpern is already chief erecutive. Spencer, 57, will remain a director.

Halpern, 42, shot up through the ranks. He belied found the

Halpern, 42, shot up through the ranks. He helped found the "Top Shop" chain and became in first chief executive. In: 1976 he become chief executive of Peter Robinson and subsequency in 1977, chief executive. of the Burton meanswear chain.

Tapesquirm

Mean ges from afar arriving at the BBC highlight one aspect of the proposed foreign service cuts that so far has been over-tooked—and one that will do no good for the British exports. The Foreign Office says £1m could be saved by closing down BBC Radio's transcription ser-

wices. This is the department which sends out tapes to be played by local stations in about 100 countries around the world, such as the United States and Australia, where listeners do not often tune into the short-wave and thus miss the BBC World Service.

Chris. Bell, the controller of administration, External Broadcasting at the BBC, tells me that the tapes feature speciallymade programmes such as Date-line and the International Money Programme as well as others on science and agriculture that often publicize British

The FO says £im could be saved by axing the service, which is what will happen next unless somebody can persuade Mrs Thatcher otherwise. Among the protests reaching the BBC is one from Keith

serious inroad into our ownoutput.

Obviously overseas stations
no more relish losing a source
of good (ome say the best),
cheap programmes than BBC
men and women sayour the loss
of about 90 jobs.

The ironic thing, however, is
that of the 80 countries which
send our tapes in this way,
Britain and the BBC is the only
one to charge for them. The
film "saving" would be on the
deficit between the BBC's costs
and what overseas countries,

and what overseas countries, many of them even poorer than ours, can afford. And one reason for the Foreign Office's proposal to terminate foreign language broadcasting to seven countries was because short-wave pro-grammes are often inaudible: now, says the BBC's Bell, the FO wants to drop a service pro-viding hundreds of millions of potential customers for British goods with British programmes whose audibility is of "immacu-late studio quality".

Sir Derek Ezra, chairman of the National Coal Board was at yesterday's launch in London of gesteriags taunch in London of the Institute of Industrial Archaelogy. Standing amid im array of heating appliances in the showrooms of the Glynwed group, Sir Derek turned to Lord Briggs and said. "I am de-lighted Ass that you should he Briggs and said: "I am de-lighted, Asa, that you should be leaning against a solid fuel boiler". Clearly, he is no fossil when it comes to selling.

Ross Davies

# GEC results fail to inspire equities

Although at the upper end of began to circulate. However, appectations GEC's full-year a firmer opening on Wall Street expectations GEC's full-year figures failed to lift the market yesterday. They did not do much for the group's own shares either. In spite of the rise in pre-tax profits from £416m to £476m and the increased dividend, the shares could muster only a 5p gain to 743p. Dealers blamed part of the lack of follow through on Leading industrials spent the recent strong performance of the shares when speculators were buying in ahead of the

Elsewhere in equities, most of the market's attention appeared to be firmly focused on the men's semi-finals at Wimbledon, and the first day of

the second Test.
The Chancellor's mini-budget held few surprises, although the 3p increase on a packet of cigarettes and the increase in betting levy produced a markdown among leisure and tobacco interests. Ladbrokes fell 3p to 164p Associated Leisure 6p to 116p, Cope Allman 4p to 444p and Grand Metropolitan 1p to 219p, while in tobaccos, Imperial Group shed 14p to 71p and Rothmans International "B" a similar figure at 741p. Only BAT Industries resisted the trend, closing 7p higher at 375p. The FT Index, having opened 0.7 lower, closed 2.8 down at

Government securities also made a hesitant start with losses of up to £1 as sterling continued to slide and as suggestions of higher United Kingdom interest rates again

Lincroft

suspended

pending sale

By Peter Wainwright

mail order and menswear dis-posals were expected to fetch more than £700,000, and a stock

run down was also cutting into

**Bank Base** 

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Barclays ..... 12%

BCCI ..... 12%

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Midland Bank .... 12%

Nat Westminster .. 12%

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Lincroft Kilgour's shares were

led to a recovery, and with the extra aid of some bear closing produced a few plus signs by the close. The final pitcure in "longs" showed most prices generally unchanged on the day, although in "shorts" rises of £1 were not

another quiet session with prices displaying a mixed appearance at the end. Bowater managed to produce a small rise of 3p to 275p along-with Dunlop, 10 dearer at 83p, but Tubes fell 4p to 150p, Hawker Siddeley 2p to 334p and GKN 1p to 147p. Elsewhere, ICI on 278p Beechams on 226p, Unilever on 588p, Fisons on 146p and British Aerospace on 237p all ended the day un-

In drinks the profits shortfall wiped 23p from Scottish & Newcastle at 65p, with Distillers a strong market, up 6p at 232p, ahead of figures later

Bromsgrove (F) Centrovincial (F)

ing at 77p.

The market, greeted news of The market greeted news of over its recent encouraging United Scientific's £27m statement sliding 12n to 422p, acquisition of Alvis from BL and Avana lost another 5p at with a hint of caution, but with the shares suspended 1p lower

Analysts have been doing some quick sums on Glaxo, whose year-end on June 30 coincided with the sharp fall in the value of sterling. This is expected to benefit the group by up to £4m when the currency sums are worked out. The shares rose 2p to 368p yesterday.

ar 447p the sellers will have to wait until today before making their feelings known.

Another casualty was Lin-croft Kilgour, suspended 2p higher at 34p with market gossip pointing to the sale of some sizable assets. Foods had British Sugar

Latest results

Dividends in this table are shown net of tax on pence per share. Elsewhere in Business News dividends are shown on a gross basis. To establish gross multiply the net dividend by 1.428. Profits are shown pretax and earnings are net. \* Net revenue; † Loss; ‡ Adjusted for scrip Issue.

Mr Michael Phillips, chairman

this month. Amaigamated unchanged at 331p after its Thorn EMI 4p to 396p. Wed-Distilled Products, however, expensive victory over the un-was suspended at 85p pending wanted attentions of S. & W. responsible for 7p off Granada an announcement, after open. Berisford, down 8p at 126p. at 239p. Ing at 77p. J. Sainsbury hit profit-taking. On the bid front, Wm. Collins The market greeted news of over its recent ancouraging beridged 3p to 233p and the hardened 3p to 233p and the "A" 12p to 168p amid sugges-

tions of an improved bid from 283p, still disappointed by Wednesday's trading news. News International today. Haden's German acquisition meant an 18p increase at 193p Stores also came on offer and in advertising Sastchi & after their recent strong rally with GUS "A." slipping 3p to 445p, Mothercare 2p to 204p, and Curry's 7p to 196p. British Home Stores gave up 5p at 149p after its chairman's Saatchi advanced 8p to 326p, still on the back of its recent acquisition of Dorlands which made it the largest ad agency in Europe. But the Monopolies Commission's recommendation to disband the poster consor-tium wiped 1p from Mills & warning on current trading prospects. Courts (Furnishers). resisted the trend, continuing to find support from recent figures, and added 7p.

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promissory note, redeemable at

promissory note, recember at par a year after completion, which is subject to an unqualified audit report. In addition, UBM has an option to purchase the remaining 49 per cent of the company on the basis of its performance. The purchase

and the East Anglia acquisition will take UBM's gearing from 9 per cent at the year-end to about 20 per cent by the end of the current year.

UBM's share of the assets is \$2.8m, which under the first in-first out system used by UBM

tises to Son. Presax profits for the year to February 28 were \$687,000.

UBM plans to use the acquisi-

tion for further expansion, in-

cluding an increased number

of Neiman-Reed stores. The

company's founders, Mr Robert

Neiman and Mr Robert Reed,

News that the directors of Wm Press had been cleared of fraud charges added 2p to the Electricals gained cold com-fort from the GEC figures with nervous selling ahead of the announcement leaving most prices lower at the close. Racal shares at 78p while speculative buying was good for 6p on Sanger at 69p, 2p on Ellis & Goldstein at 291p and 25p ou Dunbar at 525p. dipped 4p to 422p, Ferranti 5p to 580p, BICC 3p to 364p and

Equity turnover on July 1 vas £104.434m (16,029 bargains). Active stocks, according to the Exchange Telegraph, were GEC, Commercial Union, RTZ, Scottish & Newcastle and

Trade options: Business remained at a low ebb in line with the rest of the market with 1,447 contracts recorded. Commercial Union was active on 417 amid dawn raid hopes. Traditional options saw cells in FNFC at 3 p, Charterball at 6 p, John Finley at 15p and ADP at 9p.

Briefly

Pilkington Brothers : German sub

Bromsgrove Casting and Machin-ery: Dividend 3.2p gross (S.7p) for year to March 31, Turnover £3.11m (£3.7m). Pretax profit £180,000 (£356,000). Eps 4.9p (§ 8.01)

Tozer Kemsley and Millbourn has reached agreement in principle for the disposal of its wholly owned offshoot, TKM Forwarding Group,

to Bowater Freight Services, subsidiary of the Bowater Corpora

# UBM buys US retail chain UBM, Britain's second largest

builders' merchant group, has paid \$8.4m (£4.5m) for its first American acquisition. The group, headed by Mr

Centrolled (F) 16.4(14.5)
G.E.C. (F)
NCC Energy (F) 27.6(36.6)
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Thermal Synd (I) 6.86(7.54)

Michael Phillips, is buying 51 per cent of Neiman-Reed, a after rising from 28p in a week, and from a low of 17p earlier this year. The textiles group, which owns the bespoke railors Kilgour, French and Stambury, yesterday announced that it planned to sell a substantial part of its business Discussions Californian retail chain selling californian retail chain seigng home and garden improvement products. The 13-store chain, which is a private company, is based near Los Angeles. It also distributes softwood lumber to large industrial users throughout southern California, Retail cales extend to 20 mg care of sales account for 90 per cent of the company's total sales of

part of its business. Discussions were going ahead with an unnamed buyer. It is expected that these talks should finish in about three weeks. Mr. William Otley, UBM's finance director, said that the group had been looking for The group lost £425,000 bedevelopments in the past two years to reduce its dependence on the United Kingdom buildon the United We, wanted a business that we knew some thing about and the United States fitted the bill because of the common language and business philosophy."

fore tax last year and went out of the dividend list after paying 5.79p gross a share in 1979. Recession and the dear pound induced the directors, led by Mr Tony Holland, the chairman, to close two men's suitmaking factories in Leads, and sall the mail tories in Leeds, and sell the mail The one remaining clothing The one remaining clothing factory renewed a large contract for uniforms with a public utility. Shareholders were told in March that profts should reappear this year, and an early return to dividends was foreseen. Yesterday Mr Holland said he stood by this statement. Fiat and In the year to last September the group ran up ner borrow-ings of £2.2m. Shareholders' funds were around £3.3m. The

Outlook for VW mixed

day from two of Europe's leading car manufacturers. Flat, Italy's leading private car maker, predicts growth this year but Volkswagen, the West German

man company, said that its subsidiaries would continue to drag on its profitability. Signor Giovanni Agnelli, Fiar's chairman, told the annual meeting that the group would show improvement in all operating sectors and said it expected a 25 per cent rise in sales this year.

First quarter results for 1981 showed net income of 25,900m lire (film) compared with 51,000m for all of 1980. A comparable first quarter figure is not available as this is the first

not available as this is the larse year quarterly results are published.
Signor Agnelli added that turnover is expected to rise to 22.7 trillion lire from last year's 18 trillion from 900,000m last time. Higher horrowing costs. time. Higher borrowing costs, arising from the dollar increase,

will heighten the group's total debt by 300,000m lire.
Volkswagen's finance chief, Herr Friedrich Thomee, told shareholders that the group's subsidiaries would continue to burden overall receive.

subsidiaries would continue to burden overall profits, But, he added, VW expected topay a suitable dividend after curting last year's payment to DM8 from DM10.

He said the subsidiaries to blame were VW in Brazil and in the United States, both lossmaking in 1980, and the lossmaking equipment meker. Triumph Adler.

The Brazilian operation is cited as the main reason for the expected decline in VW deliveries worldwide to below 1980s level of 2.44m units. In

1980s level of 2.44m units. In the first half of 1981 VW Auto sales in Brazil fell 42 per cent to 110,000 units.

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UBM has made smaller Middle East acquisitions in the past and the Neiman-Reed purchase is its second venture this year. It recently paid £1.2m for a scaffolding company in Race Anglia will continue to manage it for the next five years with UBM East Anglia. The consideration will be share price dipped ip to SSip paid through a 9 per cent after the announcement.

# Norsk Data seeks London quotation

By Our Financial Staff

Oslo but it wants access to a directors and employees. A wider capital market for its development and plans to raise is United Kingdom 6woed. Last further capital, probably through a rights issue, in the next 12 months. It is presently completing a £2m rights issue on Norway.

in Norway.

Norsk Dara was set up in 1967 and its profit before tax.

Norsk Data, a Norwegian Kroner in 1976 mini-computer group, is apply Kroner last year. As present ing for a London Stock almost 70 per cent of the group's shares are held by the directors and employees. A

Norsk Data was set up in 1967 and its profit before tax, research income and expenses was 28.1m kroner (about £2.4m) in 1980 against 12.8m Kroner. Sales have risen from 80.6m

# Whisky group suspended

By Our Financial Staff

Pre-tax profits of Tyne and Wear-based Thermal Syndicate crashed from £775,000 to £115,000 in the six months to

Thomas Tilling

expands in US

(£1.6m) cash.

The Thomas Tilling Group is

Tilling's present interests in

Amalgamated Distilled Products' shares were suspended at 85p yesterday at the company's request after an 18p rise in the shares since June 24. An announcement would be made very soon, a spokesman for the Scotch whisky company said.

James Gulliver Associates owns 10 per cent of Amalgamated Distilled Products. Mr Gulliver, who is on Amalgamated's board, is also chairman price values the group at £6.6m.

Sharp fall at Thermal Syndicate

# Haden moves into

of the acquisition,

April 30. Group sales were down from 57.54m to 56.86m.
In February, the chairman, Mr J. E. Bywater, told shareholders that it would be unrealistic to quantify the likely profit performance for the year. West Germany London-based Haden Ltd is buying Aerotechnik Hahn-Lehre-Sigler of Wendlingen, near Stuttgart, a private company operating as an engineer and contractor for industrial finishprofit performance for the year. Since then, the United Kingdom order intake has not improved and recently there has been a sharp reduction in orders from North American and European customers in high-technology industries. The chairman still expects the second halfs profit to be more extingence. ing and air-conditioning installaing and air-conditioning installa-tions. This acquisition will be used as a base for expansion of the Haden group's industrial finishing business in West Ger-many. The consideration, pay-able in cash, will be about £250,000, being the net asser value of the acquired firm. to be more satisfactory, although it is not expected to equal the figure for the comparable period last year.

As indicated at the time of the April rights issue, the

#### interim payment is being maintained at 4.28p gross on the enlarged capital. Bardon Hill tops £2.1m for year

The Bardon Hill Group, the shares of which are traded on the over-the-counter market by M. J. H. Nightingale, managed to push its pre-tax profits up by 9 per cent to £2.1m in the year extending its minerals and aggregates interests by the acquisition of the quarry, coatto March 31. Turnover fell slightly, from £18.9m to £18.6m. The total gross dividend is being lifted from 9.64p to 10.35p. ing plants and associated physical assets of M. A. Gammino Construction at Pro-

vidence, Rhode Island, for \$3m Leicester-based Bardon is in quarrying, plant and crane hire and civil engineering. Mr J. as good an account of ourselves Gregory Tom, the chairman, as circumstances permit." this industry in the United

States are operated through reports that the group should Tilcon Inc, which will be be able to move ahead profir-responsible for the management ably with any recovery in the

#### Tootal plans expansion

Talks have reached an advanced stage with Trubenised Group for the acquisition by Tootal of certain parts of the Trubewised textile interlinings. business. It is hoped the nego-tiations will be concluded within a few days.

When this partial acquisition is completed. Tootal's existing business — Tootal Bondmor will be merged with the Tru-benised interlinings activity under the name Tootal Trubenised. The enlarged business will be aligned to the Tootal group complex at Glossop.

#### Staveley Industries' chairman optimistic

Staveley Industries' chairman, Mr A. Frankel, in his annual statement, said: "Our tinancial position has never been stronger and our business mix and medium and long-term expansion large are all maximum. sion plans are all moving in the right direction. For the current year, I can only repeat what I said at the interim

# Blundell optimistic despite dip in first half

By Margareta Pagano

Blundell-Permoglaze Holdings, the building industry paintmaker and supplier, saw profits slip in the half-year to April 30 despite a 50 per cent lift in exports. Pretax profits feli from £540,000 to £313,000 on sales virtually static at

The board is predicting that the second-half results will match those in the comparable period last year, and taking into account the stock relief rax proposals it is booking for an improvement after tax for the full year, Last year Blundell

The interim dividend is held at 2.28p gross, and the shares gained 1p to 96p in the market yesterday.

Mr Robert White, the chairman, said yesterday that the recession at home had taken its inevitable toll and that until industrial activity in the country recovered Blundell's industrial division would continue to have a difficult time. As it is, this division, which supplies domestic appliance manufacturers and the joinery, general engineering and motor industries, is not expected to make a significant contribution.

Building paints remain the core of Blundell's business, contributing 70 per cent of profits. This division recovered strongly in the last two months of the half year as the trade began to restock. The industry's forecast is for a 12 per cent volume drop for 1981, but Blundell puts its expected volume decline at 7 per cent. It is looking to hold, if not improve, its market share. sidiary, Flachglas, has acquired G. B. Holst, glass merchants and processors based in Enschede, Netherlands. Consideration paid was less than 1 per cent of value of assers of Pilkington Group. Exports made a 50 per cent jump from last year's low levels with a lift from sales to the Middle East and Far East. Order books remain good. Mr White said. The building chemical districts a building chemical districts and part of the said. Centrovincial Estates: Dividend 3.8p gross (2.86p) for year to March 3. Net revenue pretax fl.37m (£1.348m). Profit attributable £810,000 (£645.000). Eps 5.16p (4.11p). Nav 247p (237p). cals division only just improved its results, while the Irish activities performed satisfac-torily.

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**EMS Currency Rates** 

market Day-to-day credit was well in surplus again and the Bank of England morphed up on a moderate scale.

Bids for secured loans were generally in the region of 101 per cent for much of the session, but the rate slipped down later.

Sterling: Spot and Forward

Effective exchange rate compared to 1975, was down 1.0 at 91.1.

Explanta Gold : The Council of the Explain Gold: The Council of the London Stock Exchange has given permission for dealings to take place under Rule 163/3 in all of the share capital of Explain Gold (formerly Devitural Holdings) as from July 3.

Sowater Corporation: Contracts have been completed for the sale of Bowater's cotton and other fibres and rubber trading interests to Cargill of Minneapolis.

Stering Industries: In his annual statement, Sir Nicholas Cayzer, chairman, says particularly difficult conditions are likely to remain. for some months ahead. As to this year, it is much too early to make any realistic forecast, but the company will be hard put to achieve a profit equal to last

Robert Kitchen Taylor fell from a pretax profit of £352,000 to a pretax doss of £147,000 in the half-year to March 31 last, Turnover was up from £6.57m to £7.21m. Return to profitability indicated for second half-year. Interim dividend umchanged:

Century Oils Group: Chairman Mr. C. H. Mitchell in his annual statement said, during year, a periodic revaluation of assets has increased values by nearly £2m. This will provide a stronger financial base on which to build the future.

review, chairman, Mr Ian Morrow, states that demand in the current year continues lower than had been hoped. UKO international : In his annual

Amber Industrial Holdings: Mr G

A Adkin, chairman hopes to see some improvement in results for the current year. Board intends to consider payment of an interim dividend in future years.

Delta Group has now toncluded sale of its 50 per cent holding in Macdem (Pty) its South African associated company. The sale proceeds including repsyment of

inter-company balances, amounted to R21.7m and will, in short term, be used to reduce borrowings.

# **Euro-\$ Deposits**

(%) calls, 171,-181; seven days, 185-194; one month, 185-19; three months, 181-185; six months, 1714, 1715;

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# **Money Market**

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on a downward tack.

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Markets

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Those concerns were heightened today when Chase Manhatan Bank raised its prime translations.

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despite recent economic indicating that the economic slowing, has been a co

Wall Street

New York, July 2.—A rise in the prime rate and some other short-term interest rates pushed

short-term interest rates pushed the stock market broadily lower for the sixth straight session.

The Dow Jones industrial average was down 8.4 points to 959.15, bringing the decline for this holiday-shortened week to 34 points, the largest weekly fall since late January, and the index closed at its lowest level since February 25.

Rates Bankof Bugiand MLR 124

Foreign exchange report

Renewed selling brought the pound down to a "low" of \$1.8740 before it closed off the bottom at \$1.8840 and about 2 cents below Wednesday night's \$1.9000 against the dollar. Trading was reported as heavy, with dealers also noting increased Bank of England support. The trade-weighted index feli another

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#### **Motoring**

### CVT geared to challenge manual boxes

European motorists, unlike their American counterparts, are still stubbornly unconvinced by the case for automatic transmission. Around 90 per cent of new cars sold in Europe have manual boxes, while in America the choice is 95 per cent for two-pedal cars.

But according to Borg-Warner, the European market could change dramatically over the next 20 years and the main reason is a new

dramatically over the next 20 years and the main reason is a new transmission it is developing with Fiat and the Dutch company, Van Doorne, for which impressive claims are being made.

The unit is known as the CVT—for continuously variable transmission—and it is particularly suited to front-wheel drive cars from 1.3 to two litres. It will first appear in a production car, probably appear in a production car, probably a Fiat, in two years' time and Mr. Peter Whybrow, Borg-Warner's sales and marketing director, predicts that it will make manual boxes virtually obsolete.

One of the main barriers to sales of automatic transmissions has been the fuel consumption penaity but tests on the CVT have shown a 15 per cent improvement in economy

per cent improvement in economy over conventional three-speed automatics, suggesting that it could be as economical, if not more, as

The CVT is a development of the

The CVT is a development of the gearless system pioneered by Van Doorne for the Daf cars and currently used in the Volvo 343. It differs from the Volvo box in having a metal, instead of a rubber, belt and this is said to make it very strong and durable.

Another feature of the CVT is a built-in overdrive ratio and those who have tried it have been impressed by the way it allows a high road speed to be combined with a low engine speed. For a two litre engine to be turning over at 70 mph at only 2,500 rpm must help to give good fuel economy as well as quiet ruming.

But however, well the CVT weeks.

good fuel economy as well as quiet ruming.
But however well the CVT works, its success may ultimately depend on the price the motorist has to pay for it. At the moment, the cost penalty for automatic transmission is, in most cases, between £400 and £500, which can represent a high proportion of the car's selling price.

Borg-Warner claims that some manufacturers deliberately keep prices of automatics high because they have an interest in selling their manual boxes. Be that as it may, the prospective Mini buyer, for instance, is going to think twice about specifying an automatic box when it adds £515 to a car costing around £5,000.

adds 5515 to a car costing around £3,000.

There does seem to be a connexion between the "oncost" of automatic and its take-up. On the Ital 1.3, for instance, the oncost is 10.2 per cent and only 2.2 per cent of the cars are sold with automatic. On the Sunbeam 1.3, a 10.5 per cent cost penalty produces a take-up of 5.3 per cent.

But on the Toyota Corolla 1.3 the automatic price loading is only 5.6 per cent and 27 per cent of buyers choose an automatic box. The Honda Accord is an even more

telling example. The automatic box costs only 5.8 per cent more and no fewer than 38.9 per cent of customers specify it.

Borg-Warner admits that there will be a cost premium on the CVT, as compared with a manual box, at least in compared with a manual box.

as compared with a manual box, at least to start with when volumes are low. But it will aim to limit the difference in price to below 7 per cent of the price of the car and if the transmission proves as popular as Borg-Warner hopes, then greater output should bring unit cost down. The take-up of automatics in Britain is about 12 per cent and this figure has not changed greatly in the past 10 years. Germany is at a similar level, but in France only 7 per cent of new car buyers choose automatic and in Italy, where drivers like to feel in charge of the car, the take-up is only 1.5 to 2 per cent.

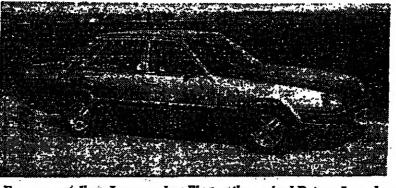
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Within the British average of 12 Within the British average of 12 per cent, there are wide variations, On Jaguars offering the choice the take-up is 98 per cent, on 3.5 little Rovers 75 per cent and on 2.8 little Granadas 70 per cent. But on the popular family cars it is much lower: 4.2 per cent on the 1600 Cortina, 4.4 per cent on the 1600 Cavalier and 3.8 per cent on the Chevette.

Chevette.

Most of the superminis, apart from the Repault 5 and Honda Civic, do not even offer automatic options, though the Mini itself has done so for many years and an automatic version of the Metro is imminent.

Road Test: **Datsun Laurel** Japanese cars are nothing if not good value and the latest 2.4 lirre Datsun Laurel offers for its £6,635



European styling, Japanese handling — the revised Datsun Laurel

an impressive list of fixtures and fittings which include push-button radio, cassette stereo system, power steering, electric window lifts, central door locking and electrical adjustment for the outside door mirrors.

More fundamentally there is a new bodyshell which, following the trend, has been designed for good aerodynamics and, therefore, lower fuel consumption. With its six-light side window treatment, sloping bonner and high, cut-off tail the latest Laurel looks not unlike the new big Talbot, the Tagora, further evidence that Japanese and European cars are moving closer together.

The car is also lighter than its predecessor, thanks partly to the exemsive use of high tensile steel, which is a further aid to fuel economy. The official figures speak for themselves. In town the revised model does 22.6 mpg against 20.2; at 56 mph 38.7 mpg against 34.9; and at 75 mph 29.7 mpg against 26.6. My

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The 2.4 litre six cylinder engine develops 113 bhp and gives smooth and quiet running; even hard acceleration produces no more than a muffled drone. The shape of the car ensures only modest wind noise and with the engine turning over in fifth gear at 70 mph at under 3,000 rpm, the Laurel is well suited to motorway cruising.

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Performance is average for the Performance is average for the class of car. Acceleration from 0 to 60 mph takes just under 12 seconds and the claimed top speed is around 100 mph. Subjectively the car does not feel quick but the power tends to be there when it matters most, for overtaking and pulling away from low speed without having to change down.

The main reservation about the Laurel is its steering. As on many Japanese cars using the old fashioned recirculating ball method, there is too much free play and the

wheel has to be turned a couple of wheel has to be turned a compare of inches before anything, happens. The system is also very low geared, requiring four and a half turns lock to lock, while the power assistance, however welcome when parking, takes away too much of the feel.

The result of this vagueness and lightness is that the driver feels less in control of the car than he really is, particularly when cornering or trying to hold the vehicle on course in strong cross winds. In fact, the car corners crisply, with little roll, and holds the road well, except that uneven surfaces can jog it off line.

Suspension is based on McPherson struts at the front and a McPherson struts at the front and a live axie with coil springs at the back. The ride is firm, inclined to choppiness over broken surfaces at low speed, when there is noticeable bump-thump from the tyres. On good surfaces and at speed, all criticism of the ride disappears.

The gearchange is not as slick as on most Datsuns and engaging fifth involves a long travel across and up. involves a long travel across and up. The minor controls are mainly on steering column stalks and to help the driver find the most comfortable position, not only does the seat adjust for rake, reach and height—and lumbar support—but the height of the steering wheel can be altered as well

Japanese cars are not always generous in their prevision of passenger space, but the latest Laurel can claim to be an ample four to five seater, with enough head and legroom in the back for large adults. There is also a good boot. Heater output is adequate, but the ventilation system needs to be boosted with the fan to overcome stuffiness. with the fan to overcome stuffiness on a warm day.

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Among the small touches, boot lid and fuel filler cap can be opened from inside the car and a useful, and tuneful, feature is a warning chime uniful, feature is a warning chime which makes sure you do not leave the car with the lights on. The verdict is that while the revised Laurel cannot match the best Europeans on handling and ride, it is very competitive on price, fuel consumption and, probably, reliability.

New releases Into the crowded small car market

comes this week a new entrant from Japan, the Suzuki Alto. Just under 11 feet long, it has a 796 cc engine and four passenger doors and the official fuel figures give 42 mpg in town driving. The absence of a tailgate — it has an opening rear window — may limit its appeal, but the price of £2,675 is among the lowest of any car now sold in Britain.

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Porsche has announced a new model, the 944, of which right-hand drive versions go into production next spring. It is based on the 924 but has a new aluminium 2.5 litre engine, which develops 163 bhp and is unusual for its size in having only four criticalers.

With a high compression ratio, the car should give around 30 mpg but Porsche enthusiasts may be more interested in the performance figures: 0 to 60 mph in eight seconds and a top speed of 137 mph. The bodyshell is similar to that of the 924 Carrera GT, with flared wheel arches and a deep air dam, and will be made entirely in galvanized steel.

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Elizabeth Taylor in Joseph Losey's film Secret Ceremony (BBC 1, 10.50 pm) SHIRLEY STRUM AND THE PUMPHOUSE GANG (ITY, 7.30 pm) is the kind of film that gives baboons a good name and humans a bad one. Dr Strum is an American anthropologist,

and she has been up to her knees in haboons in Kenya for eight years. They are nicer than people, she concludes, and make a far better job of sorting out their complex relationships. The film produces much evidence to back her up. Additionally, we learn that the haboon has no truck with ambiguity. The female of the species, when she wants to proclaim that she comes in proclaim that she comes in peace, merely raises her tail and briefly presents her rear quarters. A wide yawn betokens antagonism; lips drawn well back indicate distress. It is pure soap opera, but without the words, says Dr Strum. But not soap opera as we understand it, surely. In baboon society, it is the female that is top monkey and it is the male who lays down the ground rules for a platonic friendship.

SECRET CEREMONY (BBC)

to tell you, the same awful version that was inflicted on American television viewers.
Joseph Losey, the director,
whipped his name off the
credits because of what the transmitting company did to his film. In Secret Ceremony, Rikabeth Taylor plays a prostitute who fulfils an orphan girl's fantastic longings by acting as her mother. On American TV, the streetwalker became a wig-shop saleswoman and 14 minutes of important psychological material were cut out and replaced with some mind-numbing explanatory dialogue between a psychiatrist and a lawyer. Tonight's version may not convince you that this is Losey at his best, but at least it is all his own work. My radio choices for today: the BBC SO, under Rozhdestvensky, playing Stravinsky's Firebird suite in Hiroshima (Radio 3, 8.35 pm); Kaleidoscope's review of Frank Finlay's assumption of Paul Scofield's mantle in Shaffer's Amadeus (Radio 4, 9.30 pm).

**Broadcasting Guide** Edited by Peter Davalle

BBC 1 6.40 Open University: The Face of Germany; 7.85 Mining; 7.30 Conflict in the Family. Cartoon adventure. Today: The 10.15 For Schools, Colleges: Capricorn Game (Mathematical Games: 2). Closedown at 10.30, 11.25 You and Me: For the tiny tots. Hear and Understand! Closedown at 11.40.

1.25 How Do You Do: Another programme for the very young. Rhymes and counting games. With Carmen Munroe; 1.40 1.50 Wimbledop '81: It's the final of the Ladies' Singles. And the final of the Men's Doubles. Live tinal of the Men's Doubles. Live coverage from the All England Club until 4.20. More on BBC 1 at 6.20. Over on BBC 2, coverage begins this afternoon at 2.05, and there are highlights tonight at 10.00.

4.20 Play School: Michael Sullivan's story Covering Ment. Sullivan's story Question Mark told by Floella Benjamin and

BBC 2.

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11.00 Play School: Michael Sullivan's story Question Mark (see BBC1, 4.20). 11.25 Cricket: The Second Test.
Live coverage of the second
day's play, from Lord's. It's
England v Australia. Transmission begins again at 2.05,
alternating with visits to the
Wimbledon termis. Closedown
at 130.

2.05 Cricket: The Second Test. And further coverage of the Ladies' Singles Final and Men's Doubles Final at Wimbledon. Commentators at Lord's are Richie Benaud, Tony Lewis, Tom Graveney and Bob Simpson. At Wimbledon: Dan Mas-

9.30 am Voyage to the Arctic The world of the brown bear and the whale.

9.58 For Schools: The pro-

9.58 For Schools: The production and re-cycling of waste; 10.15 French: Handicapes en vacances; 10.38 Hospital clues; fieldwork series; 11.02 Visit to Weston Park, Shropshire; 11.14 Lenny the Lion; 11.26 Maths for the younger pupil; 11.43 Holidays (for the hard of hearing).

12.00 A Handful of Songs: Start of a new series. With Maria Morgan and Keith Field; 12.10

pm Once Upon a Time; The Bear and the Mushrooms.

12.30 Super Savers: How to give

junk furniture a new and long life. Some upholstery hints. 1.00 News from ITN; 1.20 Thames area news; 1.30 Take the High Road: Scottish estate

2.00 Houseparty: Household

2.25 Mid-week Racing: We see the following races at 5andown Park — the 2.30, 3.05 and 3.35.

3.45 Father Dear Father: Com-

s.As rather their rather; Compedy series starring Patrick Cargill. Pather is writing a book about Australia. With Noel Dyson and Ron Frazer (r).

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hints and studio chat.

TELEVISION -

Brian Cant. Can also be seen on

BBC 2 at 11.00 am.
4.45 The Space Sentinels:

Space Giants (r).
5.10 The Best of Horses Galore:
Susan King presents highlights
from films of special interest to
horse-lovers. Includes footage.

kell Peter West, John Barrett, Mark Cox, Ann Jones and Bill Threlfall. It is Barry Carpenter. who sets the sceme. Highlights from today's play tomight at 19.00 Cricket highlights at 11.30pm.

7.50 News: With sub-titles for the hard of hearing. Also, weather forecast.

8.00 Gardeners' World: At Barnsdale, Clay Jones and Geoff Hamilton take cuttings from shrubs, sow autumn and winter vegetables and give the fruit trees their summer pruning.

8.25 The Politics of the Bomb: Steve Bradshaw, for Newsweek, examines the changed shape of nuclear protest. The anti-nuclear parties in Germany and of the landslide.

Warrington, Chorley and Blackpool itself. There's a punishing
game involving kayaks. With
Stuart Hall, Eddie Waring.
8:30 Grace Kennedy: Transferred from BBC 2, this is the
first of a series of five concerts
starring the black singer from
Woolwich. Her guest tonight is
the singer and sonewriter

news; 6.30 Thames Sport. With

7.00 Winner Takes All: General knowledge quiz with a gambling flavour. The MC is Jimmy Tarbuck. Four new challengers

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5.35 Paddington: A visit to the dentist (r).

5.40 News: With Jan Leeming. And weather forecast.

5.55 Regional news magazines (see BBC variations).

6.20 Wimbledon 61: Highlights of the Ladies' Singles final and the Men's Doubles final Introduced by Harry Carpenter.

7.40 It's a Knockout: From Derby Baths, Blackpool (the first time this comedy-and-sport programme has gone indoors).

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from today's two important finals — the Ladies' singles and the Men's Doubles, Introduced by David Vine and Gerald 10.45 Newsnight: All the latest

10.00 Wimbledon 81: Highlights

news. With comments by the 11.30 Cricket: The Second Test. The best moments from today's play at Lord's. Introduced by Richie Benaud.

12.00 The Outer Limits: The Inheritors. Part 2 of this science fiction drama about some soldiers who suddenly develop an extraordinary apti-mae for science \* With Robert Duvall, Steve Ihnat. Ends at 12.55.

Gang: Life with the baboons of Kenya's Rift Valley. (See Perkenya's kur vaney. (See Fer-sonal Choice.) 8.30 Misfits: Comedy series about a divorcée (Anne Stally-brass) and two drop-outs who live with her (Kevin Lloyd and Enn Reitel). One of them goes looking for food — with a shotgun.
9.00 Get Lost! Comedy thriller.
Final episode. Neville (Alum Armstrong) is convinced that someone at his school is the brains behind the case of the

missing people. 10.00 News from ITN.
10.30 Till Death ....: Another comedy, starring the Garnetts and their widow-lodger. Alf goes into hospital.

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11.00 The London Programme:
How the people of New York
are policing their own neighbourhoods with the help of the
city police. And how the same
experiment seems to be working. on an estate in Hackney, 11.35 Have Girls, Will Travel: TV reporters Amy and Rebecca make some inquiries about a mental institution.

12.35 am Close: Norman St. John Stevas reads a poem.

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4.05 Down the Garden Path.
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5.00 PM.
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9.15 Letter from America.
9.30 Kaleidoscope.
9.59 Weather.
10.00 The World Tonight. 10.35 Week Ending.†
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11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
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9.35 am For Schools. 10.30 Listen with Mother. 11.00 For Schools. 2.00 pm For Schools. 5.50 P.M. 11.00 Study on 4. Radio 3

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6.40 Mainly for Pleasure (joining VHF)†
6.55 Play it Again preview.†
7.00 Third Opinion. Reflections on current affairs. First of two talks by Professor John Bowker.
7.30 BBC Symphony Orchestra in the Far East. Concert. Part 1: Stravinsky, Tippett.†
8.15 Poetry Now.
8.35 BBC Symphony Orchestra Part 2: Bartok, Stravinsky.†
9.40 Low Altar. Short story by Florence Turner.
10.10 Zarsnelas Concerts: excerpts from popular Spanish operettas by Chapi, Chueca, Vives and Gimenez.†
11.00 News.
11.05-11.15 Cry by Giles Swayne (7).†
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10.55 Solstice of Light Concert: Peter Maxwell Davies.†
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Recital: Anthony Payne, Mozart.†
2.45 Laurence Allix Piano recital:
George Crumb, Debussy.†
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#### Lebanon's victims

# Uneasy truce in a town torn apart by war

From Robert Fisk, Zahle, central Lebanon, July 2

graves?", he asked, arms draped over the butt and barrel of his M16 rifle, "Then look behind you". Amid the heaps of sand and dirt and garbage, there were thin wooden crosses, some dead flowers and a drab band of pink tape to delineate the borders of a wash-heap "There are thirty five bodies

here", the young gunman said.
"We had no chance to give
them funerals in the shelling. Half of them are civilians and there are children among

He wiped the perspiration from his face. It was midday and the flies played around our faces. There was a hot breeze and it tugged at a piece of paper tied with wire to a cross. "George", the label said in

A bulldozer was parked be-side the graves, ready to plough out another corner of the burial ground if the shelling started

Around us the houses yawned with shell-holes, fissures stained with smoke and buttressed with sandbags. Zahle has been under Syrian siege for three months and the town has taken on the crushed. town has taken on the crushed haunted appearance that Beirut

There are revenuents of earth across the streets and harricades of overturned frucks and cars, each guarded by squads of armed Phalangist militiamen, youngsters for the most part whose sunburnt faces betray their long days amid

Officially, Zahle's siege ended yesterday with the with-drawal of the Syrian army and the town's Phalangist defenders. In reality, the Syrians are still there, anxious to prevent the passage of any visitors who

The Phalangist officer stood cannot produce a judicious beside the rampart of dark story at the last checkpoint. And just 300 yards down the main road, you are stopped by the Phalaugists, their bright green uniforms decorated with cedar trees, each cradling a rifle and carrying ammunition clips in his belt. "Welcome to Zahle", one of them said with the lacklustre voice of a man who had not been to bed for many nights.



There are, it is true, a batta-lion of Lebanese security troops wandering around the town, wandering around the town, gingerly making overtures of national amity to the semi-bearded militiamen. The peace formula that President Reagan's Middle East envoy constructed so carefully, called for the lifting of Zahle's siege before the removal of Syria's Sam 6 missiles from the Bekaa Valley. But Mr Philip Habib presumably expected the combatonts to go home once the shooting stopped.

shooting stopped.

But no such thing has occurred. Only 95 Phalangists from Beirut have been taken out of the town and the local militiamen have stayed.

militiamen have stayed.

The Syrian tanks are still dug in beside the rusting railway line south of Zahle and Syrian snipers still maintain their post beside the concrete for of the Virgin Mary's there. feet of the Virgin Mary's tower-

"We are going to so on holding out here until the Lebanese army take over completely", the Phalangist officer announced. "We have had at least 200 dead and 3,000 wounded. We don't want the Syrians." The Phalangists still hate their Syrian enemies and they take you to a place of

It is a ruined, five-storey warehouse on the other side of the railway tracks which collapsed on 38 civilians who were sheltering in the basement after bombardment by the tank gun-ners of Colonel Rifaat Assad's Syrian Special Forces.
Only a child was left alive—

Only a child was left alive—with her legs torn off.

In the centre of Zahle, the damage is much less severe although the two churches have both been hir by shells. One smashed through the nave of the Maronite church while another went clean through the beliry of its Catholic neighbour, blowing out the stained glass windows. windows.

But the Phalangists are look-

But the Phalangists are looking for a propaganda victory as well as a footnote in the history books. A militia official asked a photographer today not to take pictures of ordinary townspeople going to the well-stocked vegetable shops—"nothing that makes things look normal", he said. Mr Henri Lahoud, governor of

Zahle, says the death toll was only 150 and not 200. People in Zahle seem unable understand that the ceasefire

to understand that the ceasefire is linked to the possible removal of the Syrian missile batteries in the Bekaz Valley. One battery of 12 Sam 6 missiles has been moved east from the village of Deir Zeinoun in the past 24 hours—a gesture towards withdrawal if the truce holds and a promising sign to the Americans and Israelis that the rockets may indeed be withdrawn.

# Radar projects dropped after Navy cuts

By Henry Stanhope, Defence Correspondent

Two multi-million pound all-British radar programmes have been cancelled by the Govern-ment because of the recent Defence Review whose conclusions were announced last week. The latest decision has been

communicated to Marconi Radar Systems Ltd by Lord Trenchard, Minister of State for Defence Equipment. News of the cancellation was first reported in the technical journal

The programmes concerned the development of Surveil-lance and Target Identification Radar (STIR) and 909M, both of which were connected with an improved version of the Sea Dart anti-aircraft missile.

The Ministry of Defence said last night that their cancella-tion resulted from the decision, announced as part of the Defence Review, to drop plans for modernizing Type-42 Shef-field class destroyers and to

prune the anti-submarine car-rier programme. Both kinds of ship are armed with Sea Dart. More than 400 jobs will be threatened by the decision, in Watford, Accrington, Leicester and Plymouth, although Mar-coni will my to save as many as possible by diverting men to other work.

STIR in particular, was thought to have good export potential after the completion of development work,

Kensington Central Library, Horn-ton Street, 8.

Exhibitions







# Political somersault

Mr Pierre Trudeau going over big in front of crowds celebrating Caoada Day on Wednesday. The Prime Minister, aged 61, was bouncing with health on the trampoline during a private visit to festivities in Ottawa.

# Paisley derides Atkins scheme

Ulster politicians, with outright opposition from those representing "loyalists" (Richard Ford writes from Belfast).

There was distinct coolness towards his plan for a represen-tative council and fears from some Unionists that it signalled a prelude to some form of

The Rev Iau Paisley leader of the Democratic Unionist Party, called the plan ridiculous and said Ulster needed a devolved parliament with a devolved government. If Mr Atkins wanted to know what the people of Northern Ireland wanted he should hold an elecwanted, he should hold an electies.

Mr John Hume, leader of the Social Democratic and Labour Party, said: "If this is going to be a body that is to be an embryo Stormont, I am not sure we would be interested.".

Mr Gerry Adams, president of Provisional Sinn Fein, dismissed the pla nas the lastest in a long line of manoeuvres by British governments. The Government was pretending to do something because it faced considerable criticism of the British role in Ireland

Two thousand marching "loyalists" followed the Rev Ian Paisley through as Ulster valley last night in a new show of Protestant strength (the Press Association reports). Only minutes after he vowed

wreck the Government's latest political initiative on Northern Ireland, his sup-porters—all men and lined up in military formation— marched in the rain through Sixmilecross, near Omagh, co Mr Paisley, with a loyalist

scarf draped around his neck, headed the parade which was watched by squads of armed policemen who sealed off the

Only the sound of feet and shouts of "Left, right, left, right," could be heard. At one stage Mr Paisley stood in the main street while the men filed past him, some of them giving the clenched-fist salute.

Nothing like it had been seen

Nothing like it had been seen since he appeared on an Antrim hillside earlier this year with 500 men lined up before him waving gun licences.

He said that parade was the first stage of his anti-united Ireland rampaign which he launched after Mrs Margaret Thaucher's Anglo-Irish summit meeting in Dublin at the end of last year.

of last year.

Last night he said that the proposal by Mr Atkins to set up an advisory council was an attempt to fool the people.

"If he should set up this body, our purpose would be to bring it to a speedy end as we bring it to a speedy end as we did with the Northern Ireland

In 1974 Mr Paisley and other militant loyalists campaigned on the streets and brought down the power-sharing executive. At a rally after last night's march his supporters passed a

Continued from page 1 told The Times: "she bridging work was found in the factory. The bridge was done but they did not put it in Eva Braun's mouth". In his opinion the intact plastic facings to the teeth in the bridge would have exploded in the heat of the fire if the body was that of

**Doubts** over

fire if the body was that of Professor Sognnates also points out that there are contradic-tions in the evidence of the eye witnesses about the move-ment of the bodies from the bunker. Eva Braun's dead body was burnt yer the corpse found by the Russians had 16 shell splinters and had freshly bled.

The Russian confusion is borne our by one senior British intelligence source who told The Times this week that the Western Allies met at the site resolution saying they "would not stand idly by and allow a campaign of genocide against Protestants", which Mr Paisley claimed was going on in the both the ordinary Russians who had taken over the bunker and the special team assembled by Stalin to track down Hirler. Material was simply scopped

# And then they sail off into the sunset... By a Staff Reporter

The Prince of Wales and Lady Diana Spencer will alman certainly spend a large part of their honeymoon on a rach possibly the royal yach, Britannia.

Buckingham Palace would be disclose details of the home-moon plans, but it did say yesterday: "You can be pretty sure it will be yache-based most of it."

The Palace is well aware of the intense public interest in the honeymoon, but chihough it will eventually give a general indication of the area and the dates, it is possible that the specific location will not officially disclosed As the press will devote great efforts to discovering the whereabouts of the couple, the provision of a yackt will essure

whereabouts of the couple, the provision of a yacht will ensure at least some privacy for them. Clearly the royal yacht will be under consideration for the honeymoon: Britannia is understood to be in Britain at present and no plans for its use here seen announced before it is due in Australia for the Commonwealth conference at the end of the summer.

Details of Lady Diama's wedding dress will also be kept secret until almost the last moment; drawings of the dress will not be revealed until the morning of the wedding. Not would the Palace provide information earlier, under embargo for publication at the time of the wedding, for fear of the temptation provided by a very large amount of money of offer from abroad for details of the bride's dress.

It said that 48 national television networks would be providing hive coverage of the wedding, with an estimated audience of between 800 million to 900 million people.

On the Sunday before the wedding there will be a public rehearsal of the carriage procession to St Paul's starting m 8.30 am. On the Monday and Tuesday there will be a series of private rehearsals inside the o.30 am. On the andday and Tuesday there will be a series of private rehearsals inside the cathedral, including one involving the Prince and Lady Diana during which Dr Robert Runce, the Archbishop of Cinterbury, will go through the whole service with them.

vice with them.
On the Monday night the On the Monday night the Queen will give a private party, largely for family and ding guests; on Tuesday he will give a supper party to visiting royalty, heads of stra, and other foreign disnitaries, before the fireworks display The wedding breakfast after the ceremony will be a much smaller affair, for about 100 guests, and will be confined to members of the two families.

St Paul's danger, page 2

# THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

#### Today's events

The Prince of Wales arrives Pontypool station South Wales, 9.30 am, as chairman of the Prince of Wales Committee visits environ or wales committee visits environ-mental projects; as Chancellor The University of Wales, attends dinner to mark golden jubilee of Welsh National School of Medi-cine, City Hall, Cardiff, 7.45.

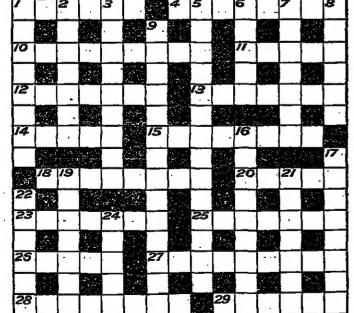
The Duke of Kent, president of All England Lawn Tennis and Croquet Club, accompanied by the Duchess of Kent, attends championship meeting, Wimbledon, 1.55. Flower Festival : Three-day cen-

tenary festival in aid of Church | the other Victorians. Mary Ellis, of England Children's Society, Tate Gallery, 1; The whales are | The Pound Christ Church, Christchurch Road, East Sheen, 10-8. Livery, Hall open to the public : Armourers' Hall, Coleman Street, 11 and 2.

The British Museum and Smirke, Geoffrey House, Museum of London, Barbican, 1.10. Campin and Rogler van der Weyden. Colin Wiggins, National Gallery, 1; Minoan and Mycensen jewellery. Anne Pearson, British lery. Anne Pearson. British Museum. 11.30: The Roman emperors: portraiture and propa-ganda, Susan Woodford, British Museum, 1.15; Tissot and Moore,

The Times Crossword No. 15,568

This purile, used at the Chester regional final of the LANGS SUPREME Times National Crossword Championship, was solved within 30 minutes by 30 per cent of the finalists.



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1 Sweet sounding 26 (6).
4 Some of the best overseas materials taken by right (8).
10 French dramatist, one in US university, first in English (9).
11 Death's Head Row, say (5).
12 Arrives in part of church where Love's Labour's Lost (7).

13 Lion unhappily shot in this 17 Inclination is in general to part of Africa (7).

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performance (8).

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14 (8).

20 Message received by jolly
marine filier (5).

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diffusion (7).

25 Caked with fat, any bit of

nautical rope (7).
26 Animal's low points (5).
27 Business-man put four in to do Ketch's job (9). 28 Bird, the sailor in army support ? (8). 29 New Testament story first told

1 Size of a treacle well drawing (8).

2 A French composer's advice about a tangled web? (7).

3 Timoneer cowboy? (9).

5 Tobacco-ash expert measured
a problem in pipes (8, 6).

Talks, lectures

6 Nothing like one's delight finding it if thirsty (5). 7 Bisector of lines between poles

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St Andrews University Madrigal
Group, Wordsworth House, Cockermouth, Cumbria, 8; Marta
Fabian and Agues Szakaly/Cimbalom Dno, Riverside Studios,
Crisp Road, Hammersmith, 7.30;
Gillian Howard, soprano, Catherine Martin, mezzo-soprano,
Guildhall School of Music and
Drama, Barbican, 1.10; Domlnic
Guignard, fluts, Laura Gnignard,
piano, St Martin-within-Ludgate,
1.15.

Band concerts: Tower Place. Music

Band concerts: Tower Place, noon; St James's Park 12.30 and 5.30; Regent's Park, 12.30 and 5.30.

# Sporting fixtures

Tennis: Wimbledon, 2.0 (Order of play, page 8).
Cricket: Second Test, England v Australia, at Lords, 11.30 to 6.30.
County championship: Derbyshire County champtonship: Derbyshire v Lancashire, at Chesterfield; Essex v Noutinghamshire, at Chelmsford; Glamorgan v Hampshire, at Swansea; Kent v Middlesex, at Maidstone; Northamptonshire v Gloucestershire, at Northampton; Somerset v Surrey, at Taunton; Yorkshire v Leicestershire, at Bradford. Other match: Worcestershire v Sri Lankans, all 11 to 5.30.

Golf: Women's professional tournament, at Whitchurch, Cardiff.

Racing : Sandown Park, 2, Haydock Park, 2.15, Beverley, 6.45.
Equestrianism: Wales and the
West show, at Chepstow.
Rifle shooting: Services championship, at Eisley.

# Sport on TV

BBC 1: 1.50 tennis; 6.20 tennis. BBC 2: 11.25 cricket, 2.5 cricket and tennis; 10 Wimbledon highlights; 11.30 Test match high-lights. ITV: 2.25 racing; 6.30 Thames

Auctions today Christie's, King St: Impres-sionist and modern paintings, drawings and sculpture, 11. drawings and sculpture, 11.
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Printed books, atlases and maps,
10.30; old and modern silver, 2;
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VIEWING TODAY Philips, Blenheim St: Furni-ture, carpets and objects; oil paintings; prints, including collec-tion of etchings by Nathaniel Sparks; furniture, carpets and works of art. Bouldans, Mont-reller St. Carpets acceptain 9.1

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London: The FT Index fell 2.8 to 545.9.
New York: Dow Jones index down 8.47 to 959.16.

Gardens open

Saturday and Sunday: Court St Lawrence, Llangovan, nr Mon-mouth, Gwent; gardens and wood-lands. roses. 2 to 7. Duxford Mill Garden, 9m south of Cambridge; June roses, water mill mentioned in Domesday survey, 1080. 2 to 7. in Domesday survey, 1080. 2 to 7.
Sunday: Harcombe House, Ropley, nr Airesford, Hampshire;
shrubs roses, herbaceons borders,
water garden; plants for sale. 2
to 6. Westwick Cottage, Leverstock
Green, nr Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire; with Shella Macqueen
the flower arranger and Arthur
Billitt to meet visitors; small garden with plants of interest to
flower arrangers; plants for sale.
Also four other gardens in the
vicinity, 11 to 6. Hovingham Hall
Garden, Hovingham, nr Malton

Garden, Hovingham, ar Malton (20m from York) Yorkshire; herb-aceous border, 18th century yew hedges. 2 to 6. Kinghay, ar East Knoyle, Wiltshire; plantsman's garden, great variety. 2 to 6. Haddon Chase, 42 Merrybent, 23m reset of Darlington, Durham and west of Darlington, Durham and four other gardens nearby 2 to 6pm. The Green, Warmington, Warwickshire 5m north of Banbury and two other gardens, also three gardens near Farnborough; combined charge for all six gar-dens 60p. 2 to 6.

Coffee concerts

Sunday morning coffee concerts will be held at the Wigmore Hall, London, on July 5, 12 and 19. The hall will open at 11 am and coffee will be served before and after the concerts, which start at 11.30 am and last for about an hour. All seats are priced at £1.50.

Parliament today Commons (9.30): Debate on the disabled. Lords (11): Disabled Persons (No 2) Bill, report and third reading. Town and Country Planning (Minerals) Bill, Com-

mons amandments. London sales today Alfred Dunhill, Duke Street, St James's ; Fortoum and Mason, Piccadilly ; Descamps, Sloane

#### The papers

Support for Mr James Callaghan's proposals for Northern Ireland comes in the Daily Mirror today. "Mr Callaghan's proposals today. "Mr Callaghan's proposals offer peace and a future to a province immersed in war and the past. Westminster, Belfast and Dublin should ssize them."

The Daily Mail sharply criticizes Edward Heath for attacking the Government and says he is becoming a sort of national old-club bore before his time. The Western Mail, Cardiff, describes his speech as an impressive harcher job. "All it lacks is any

Western Mall, Cardiff, describes his speech as an impressive hatchet job. "All it lacks is any convincing suggestion of how to pick up the pieces."

Commenting on the European summit Stategarter Zeitung says that judging by appearances, Mitterrand was the convinced European and Thatcher the anti-marketeer, but ultimately it is European and Thatther the antimarketeer, but ultimately it is
Mitterrand's economic policy, not
Thatcher's or Schmidt's, that will
prove to be the explosive factor.

After the election in Israel Saddentsche Zeitung fears that the
quasi-Fascist tendencies in Begin's
Likud party will increase, even if
Begin is against a real dictatorial
style of leadership. But GeneralAnzeiger, Bonn, is consoled to
see that Begin's exaggerated
attacks on the Germans did not
bring him an avalanche of votes.

London and South-east: M4
closed from 9 pm westbound from
the start of the motorway to
junction 3 (Feltham) and eastwards from junction 2 (North and
South Circular Roads). Diversion
via A4. Heston services (westbound) open for fuel sales only.
Through traffic should avoid
Wimbledon, during tennis tournament, A303 delays at Bullington
Cross (junction with A34). Extensive roadworks on A2 between
Bexleyheath and Canterbury.
M1: southbound carriageway
closed between junctions 7 (M10,
St Albans) and junction 5 (Watford/Harrow) from 10 pm tonight
to 8 am. Heavy traffic at Henley
during regatta.

Civil Servants at the London Air Traffic Control Centre are expected to take industrial action from 8 am to 8 pm today. British Airways says 90 per cent of flights will operate with no cancellations of long-haul flights. Morning departures cancelled: 7.30 to Newcastle, 9.5 to Cork, 9.25 to Copenhagen, 10.10 to Vienna. Weekend food buys

belated appearance with raspher-ries at more than £1 in shops and strawberries at about 70p. They both cast less at the growing num-ber of farms where customers can pick their own fruit, and they should become chearer less in the should become cheaper later in the month. The first home-grown summer vegetables are also appearing with peas and broad beans selling at more than 20p a pound. At this early stage in the season it is worth examining the pods closely to ensure that the contents are large anough to be worth broaden. lorge enough to be worth boying. Forget about the agonies predicted by farmers when the snow fell in late April. It looks like being a good season for summer fruit and vegetables with heavy yields and good quality.

# Weather

The general situation: Pressure will be low over the Britsh Isles with a weak ridge crossing S Parts; but a trough will approach the W tonight.

Forecasts from 6 am to midnight

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SE England, East Amples: Cloudy in places at first, any rain dying out, sunsay setments developing and isolated showlers; wind mainly W, light; max temp 17 to 19C (63 to 66F).

SW Empland, Wales, Isla of Man: Sunny intervals, scattered showlers, probably rain tensards midnight is W; wind mainly W, light backing S later; max temp 16 to 18C (61 to 64F).

Berders, Edinburgh, Ounder, Aberdens. Outlook for the weekend : Changeable but emperatures near or a little below normal

First quarter: July 9.

Dower: Wind W, light of anoderate; sea slight. English Channel (E): Wind W light back-ing SW, moderate; sea slight.

Lighting up time London 9.50 pm to 4.20 am Bristel 10 pm to 4.30 am Edinburgh 10.30 pm to 4.4 am Marchester 10.10 pm to 4.47 am Personon 10.5 pm to 4.48 am

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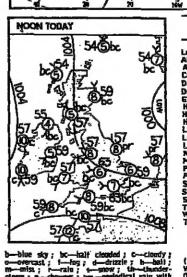
Temp: max 7 am to 7 pm, 18C (64F); min 7 pm to 7 am, 12C (54F). Humidity: 7 pm, 58 per cent. Rain; 24hr to 7 pm, nil. Sue: 24hr to 7 pm, 5,2hr. Bar, mean sea level, 7 pm, 1005.5 millibars, falling. 1,000 millibars=29.53in. Yesterday

Satellite predictions

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